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MIDNIGHT.

NEWS BY CABLE.

Charles Dickens' Political Creed—Address of Archbishop Cullan—King Victor Emanuel to receive the Empress Eugene—Death of Cardinal Emanuel Bento Rodelquez—King of Portugal and the Spanish Throne—London Times on French Affairs—Lord Clarenden's Address before the Hartfordshire Agricultural Society—He denounces the Tenure-of-Land Law in Ireland.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, September 28.—Charles Dickens opened the winter session of the Midland Institute, Birmingham, last evening, with a pleasant speech. After reviewing the history of the institution, and offering advice for its future management, he touched upon other subjects. The present, he said, was a materialistic age. His political creed could be summed up in two articles. His faith in the people governing was infinitessimal,—his faith in the people governed was illimitable.

Archbishop Cullen, in reply to a deputation bearing an address from the citizens of Wexford, Ireland, said that by moderating their demands, and not by interfering with the legitimate rights of any class of institutions, the tenants would enjoy the results of their labor in undisturbed tranquility.

Lord Westburg has declined the appointment to the Bench of Court of Appeals.

Lord Clarendon has returned from Paris. He delivered an address before the Hartfordshire Agricultural Society to-night, in the course of which he acknowledged that the subject of the tenure of land in Ireland was a momentous and vital one, but it should not be considered a party question. The evils connected with the land system must be abated. The solution was difficult, but not impossible. The Government would not adopt any wild or subversive scheme. The promoters of such a plan were enemies of all equitable settlement, and no friends to the Irish people. He asked if there was language strong enough to condemn a landholder who evicted a tenant and reaped the whole benefit of the tenants labor and expenditure. This course was too often followed, and the evil must be abated. He believed the rights of property should be scrupulously upheld and its duties rigidly enforced by law. The Government, he said, intended to introduce a measure which would command the respect, support and praise of every honest man.

Lord Clarendon, in conclusion, alluded to the present condition of Europe and expressed the conviction that at no time in the past three years has there been a fairer prospect of continued peace than at present.

FRANCE.

LONDON, September 28.—The *Times* in an article on the situation in France says the coincidence of the Emperor's sickness and reconstruction of the Government is a serious misfortune. The energies of the Emperor cannot be well spared at such a crisis. The reforms come unfortunately while the Emperor is incapacitated, and at a time when he is most required. The speculations of the people on the uncertanties and opportunities of the future are so encouraged, and augment the public disquietude. If the crisis had occurred ten years ago, the Emperor could have brought to the work the energies he carried into the Italian campaign. If the experiment had then succeeded, France would now possess a generation of statesmen with some parliamentary experience. The only question is, was the prospect of success so clear then as to justify precipitating instead of postponing the trial. The present peril, serious in any case, is aggravated by the Emperor's enfeebled health. But peril of some kind has been the prospect of the Government for the past two generations.

PORTUGAL.

LISBON, September 28.—The Cardinal Emmanuel Bento Rodrigueo, Patriarch of Lisbon, is dead.

The King of Portugal, in a letter, denies that he has any intention of abdicating in order to accept the throne of Spain.

ITALY.

FLORENCE, September 28.—King Victor Emanuel, and the diplomatic body at Florence, will go to Venice to receive the Empress of the French, on her way to the East.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, Sept. 28.—*Eve* —Consols, 93; American securities quiet and steady. Five-twenty bonds: '65s, 83½; '67s, 82½; '62s, 84: Ten-forties, 75½; '62s at Frankfort, 87¾@87¾. Eries,23¼; Illinois, 94; Atlantic & Great Western, 27½. Stocks steady. French rentos, 71f 22c.

LIVERPOOL. Sept. 28.—Cotton firmer; middling uplands at 12¼@12¾; New Orleans at 12¼@12¾; sales 10,000 bales. California white wheat 10s 8d; red western 9s 4d Western Flour 24s. Corn, mixed, 28s 6d. Oats 3s 6d. Peas 44s 6d. Pork 111s. Beef 89s. Lard 74s 6d. Cheese 63s. Bacon 65s 6d. Petroleum unchanged. Naval stores dull. Linseed oil, 33 pounds, 55 sterling.

LONDON, Sept. 28.—Tallow 47s. Calcutta Linseed 63s.

ANTWERP, Sept. 28.—Petroleum 56½f.

HAVRE, Sept. 28.—Cotton steady at 145½f.

Opposition to the Exclusion of the Bible from the Public Schools.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CINCINNATI, Sept. 28.—A large meeting was held in Pike's Opera House to-night for action against the exclusion of the Bible from the public schools. There were thousands present, and many came and went away, who could not get in. Wm. Ramsey and Geo. R. Sage, of the Cincinnati bar, and Revs. Dr. Wiley and B. W. Chidlaw spoke. Resolutions favoring the Bible in schools, and asking the Board not to act on the matter till after the spring elections, were passed unanimously.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

—Maheney's kerosene factory in Brooklyn was burned Monday afternoon. Loss $320,000.

—Capt. Somerby, of the Eighth Cavalry, on a scouting expedition, killed twelve Indians.

—John Barge was dangerously cut by a man named James Dean, at Cincinnati yesterday, in a quarrel.

—Mr. Johnston, Conservative, was elected to the Legislature, from Alexandria county, Va., yesterday.

—Wm. Byrne, a young man, committed suicide at St. Louis yesterday. His parents reside in New York.

—A slight frost visited Raleigh, N. C., yesterday morning, but no damage was done to the crops. Tobacco planters are a little uneasy.

—Gov. Walker, of Virginia, has appointed nine delegates to the Southern Commercial Convention. The attendance promises to be very large.

—Great preparations are being made for the approaching State Fair at Raleigh, North Carolina, and the prospects are that it will be a grand affair.

—A jury in the Massachusetts Supreme Court has awarded $17,950 damages to S. O. Pollard, against the town of Wabum, for permanent injuries received by the plaintiff from a defect in the highway.

—George Springer, who was committed to jail in Lawrence, Mass., last May, for placing an obstruction on the track of the Lowell and Lawrence Railroad, hung himself Monday night.

—Arizona advices, of the 11th of September, say a band of one hundred Indians attacked the teams hauling ore from the Vulture mine, killing two Mexicans, wounding two and capturing sixty-three mules.

—The Board of Examiners at the Naval Academy admitted, yesterday, as cadets, John Farnsworth, of Illinois; Wm. A. Northcote, of West Virginia, and Charles B. T. Moore, of Illinois. There were no admissions on Monday.

—The number of entries at the Indiana State Fair are much larger than last year. The show of horses, cattle and sheep is unusually large. The weather is fine, and there is every prospect for the most successful fair since the war.

—Judge Benjaman S. Cowen died at St. Clairsville, Ohio, Monday evening, on his seventy-seventh birth day. He was stricken with paralysis on Friday evening last. He lived an honored and useful life, and his loss will be deeply felt.

—Two-thirds of the town of Port Dalhousie, Canada, was destroyed by fire yesterday morning. The principle sufferers were Messrs. Cole and Wood, who each lose about $9,000. Ten stores and dwellings were consumed. Total loss about $40,000.

—The associated banks of Boston have informed their non-resident stockholders, that by a recent decision of the Supreme Court of Massachusetts, they must pay the State tax upon their shares. There are now two taxes assessed for the years 1868 and 1869.

—Seerum, a friendly Indian Chief of one of the principal tribes, was attacked by a drunken white man and seriously injured. He has sworn vengeance against the whites, summoned his tribes to arms and committed several murders and depredations already,

—Herzog, the famous running horse that made a mile in one forty-three and a half, the best time on record, died yesterday afternoon at Buckeye track, near Cincinnati, where, last May, he achieved that triumph. His owner rufused $15,000 for him within a week.

—One of the Miamia powder mills, five miles north of Xenia, Ohio, exploded at three o'clock Monday afternoon, killing a colored employe named Thurston, prostrating five buildings, and injuring the dwellings near. The telegraph wires were torn down.

—Samuel Dryden, a prominent citizen of Johnston county, Mo., is suspected as the murderer of Mr. Cox and his wife, near Kingsville last week, mention of which was telegraphed a few days ago. Dryden was the owner of the farm upon which Cox lived. He has fled the country, but officers are in pursuit of him.

—The Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows, in session at San Francicco, adjourned *sine die* yesterday. Vice President Colfax was present and was introduced to the members. The Grand Sire, Mr. Farnsworth, was presented with a diamond ring set in gold from the filings of the last spike. The Grand Secretary, Mr. Ridgely, was presented with a cane by the California brethren.

—An examination was held at New York, on Monday, in the case of John E. Gould, the Wall street broker who is accused of outraging the person of Mrs. Anna Meade, of No. 73 President street, Brooklyn. The complainant was cross-examined at length by counsel for defense, who sought to damage her reputation by a series of singular questions. The examination was not concluded.

—Senor Lemus, the Cuban Minister, states that there is not a single sentence in the Cuban constitution which contemplates anything but absolute and unequivocal freedom to the slaves of the island. The Republican leaders, long before the adoption of the constitution, emancipated their slaves, and wherever the army of the Republic marches freedom is proclaimed to all of every color.

—The liabilities of Clark Holt, of Rockville, Conn., a large manufacturer, and President and Treasurer of the Tolland County Insurance Company, are much larger than supposed when his business irregularities and defalcations were discovered a short time ago. A full investigation indicates they will reach a quarter of a million. Mr. Holt's whereabouts is unknown. The soundness of the Insurance Company is not affected.

—It is stated that the Cuban priveteer Hornet, which sailed some time ago from the British Provinces, where she was detained for a time, is on her way to Cuba, if she has not already arrived there. It is the intention of her commander to keep a sharp look out for Spanish transports carrying troops to the island, and also for the regular steamers plying between Havana and Spain, and carrying the Spanish flig. The Hornet is a fast sailing vessel, and can probably get away from any Spanish man-of-war she cannot fight. It is thought by the Cubans that the Hornet can engage most of the vessels in the Spanish navy, with two or three exceptions. She will take her prizes into Mexican ports—that country having acknowledged the belligerent rights of the Cubans.

SECOND EDITION.

FOUR O'CLOCK, A. M.

THE CAPITAL.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, September 28, 1869.

MINISTER TO CHINA.

Fredrick F. Law, of California, has been appointed Envoy Extraordinary, and Minister Plenepotentiary to China.

CABINET MEETING.

At noon the Cabinet met, but the only members present were Secretaries Boutwell and Cox, and Attorney General Hoar. Assistant Secretary of State, Davis, and Assistant Postmaster General Earle, representing the heads of their Departments.

MILWAUKEE.

Dedication of the National Military Asylum—Description of the Edifice—Eloquent and Patriotic Speech of General Butler—Touching Tribute to the Memory of the Gallant Dead.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MILWAUKEE, September 28.—The new building of the National Military Asylum, to be located here, was dedicated yesterday. The building presents a fine appearance from the exterior, and in its neatness, beauty of finish, and completeness of appointments, is a model. It is in the form of a cross, and when the wings are completed, will have a frontage of two hundred and forty feet. The entrance is in the center, and opens into a corridor, upon the east and west of which are the spacious reception rooms and offices. The accommodations are sufficient to contain comfortably five hundred inmates. The dedication was informal, the more imposing ceremonies being omtitted on account of the death of Gen. Rawlins, who was a member of the Board of Managers.

Gen. Butler, of Mass., and President of the Board of Managers, delivered the address, as follows.

Friends and Fellow-Citizens :—In behalf of my associates, the Board of Managers, I bid you welcome to the National Home of the disabled soldier in Wisconsin. [Applause.] Welcome, welcome, friends of the soldier. I trust you will be ever held very welcome here. Here in this magnificent building provided by the liberality of the General Government of the United States for the maimed and disabled defenders of the country. This is but one of the institutions by which the Government is endeavoring to carry out the promises which we made to the soldier during the war; that when the war was over he should be provided for; and here you have the evidence of the care of the Government. I wish every soldier, and every soldier's friend, to understand that this institution is not a charitable institution, except in the very noblest meaning of the phrase. The soldiers of the country have earned this by their valor and sufferings, and it belongs to them. More than that—it comes *from* them—the very funds appropriated by Congress for this building come from the stoppages, and fines, and forfeitures of the deserter, and thus the bad soldiers are compelled to make the homes for the good ones. [Applause.] Therefore let no soldier coming here understand that he is coming to an alms house. He is coming to his own home, earned richly, earned by him, and it is his forever, with the single condition that he shall so conduct himself in it, that it indeed shall be a home for himself, and others. That is the only condition we impose. Such is the only discipline we mean here to enforce. We desire to have the soldier realize that there is no discipline or law for governing here that shall do anything more than keep order and good conduct for the welfare of all.

It has not been thought, fellow-citizens, proper on the part of the Board of Managers that we should, at this time, make any considerable demonstration of ceremonies in the formal dedication of this hall. There are memories so sad connected with the hour—sad to ourselves—that seem to forbid it. Death has twice entered the Board of Managers and taken away its most valued members. The first and earliest pioneer of this enterprise of benevolence, him to whom you owe to-day, citizens of Milwaukee, the fact that this institution is here to beautify and grace your city; your late, beloved fellow citizen, Col. Walker, who was taken away in the promise of his usefulness as an associate in the cause of the the disabled soldier. And now death has again entered our board, and taken one whom we loved and revered as an associate, and to whom the whole country gave greatful tribute for his services, the late Secretary of War, Gen. John A. Rawlins.

In view of our own and the nation's bereavement, it would seem fitting that there should not be anything more than the sober festivities belonging to this occasion, when the whole nation is bowed in grief at the loss of that patriot, soldier and Christian statesman—the friend of Liberty and Equal Rights all over the world—who, with his dying lips, proclaimed his devotion to the cause of Freedom to all mankind.

Gov. Fairchild, Gov. Smythe, Matt. Carpenter and others, made short speeches, when the flag was raised, and a salute fired. The grounds were much admired by the distinguished guests from abroad.

Fair at Altoona.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ALTOONA,, Pa., September 28.—The first annual exhibition of the Altoona Park Association is a magnificent display, and the fair a grand success. The entries were far beyond the expectations of the managers. The floral display is admitted by good judges to be the finest ever seen in Western Pennsylvania. The entry of stock embraces the finest the country produces. In the first day's races three horses were entered for the premium of fifty dollars: gentlemen driving horse, sulky or wagon; best three in five, won by McCartney's dapple gray. Time: first heat, 3:26¾; second, 3:13¼; third, 3:03¼. Tures horses are entered for the grand trot on Thursday for a purse of $750; time to be below 2:30. The track is admitted by old jockeys to be the best in the State.

POLITICAL.

New York Republican Convention—Speculations as to the Nominees—Pith of the Resolutions to be Adopted.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

SYRACUSE, September 28.—The hotels are crowded with delegates to the Republican State Convention, which meets to-morrow. Horace Greeley has been here, and is strongly supporting the nomination of Gen. Franz Sigel for Secretary of State. Mr. Greeley will not, however, attend the convention. It is said Sigel has telegraphed that if his name is used in the convention, he would rather have it for State Engineer. It is expected that the business of the convention will be completed to-morrow. John A. Griswold will be its permanent President.

LATER.—Geo. W. Curtis is now called for Secretary of State, and Gen. Sigel for Treasurer.

Midnight —The platform as talked of to-night will be sub-tantially as follows: In favor of equal suffrage to all people, without distinction of race or color; in favor of the fifteenth amendment; sympathizing with all oppressed people everywhere; sympathizing with the people of Cuba in their efforts to relieve themselves from the yoke of a government in which they have no representation, and urging that whenever, in the opinion of the administration they have established their status as a belligerent power they be recognized as such by our Government. Also that when they have achieved their independence and desire annexation to the United States, they be so annexed; in favor of the payment of the national debt in full in coin, and denouncing all schemes or pretexts for repudiation in every form; denouncing corrupt legislation and corruptionists, and repudiating all Republicans who join with Democrats to pass corrupt measures; denouncing the election frauds perpetrated last fall, and charging the Democrats with being responsible for them; denouncing the Democratic party for its opposition to all measures for preventing such frauds, and Gov. Hoffman for his signature to such corrupt measures.

The following is the ticket as indicated by the sentiment prevailing at this time:

Secretary of State, Geo. W. M. Curtis; Comptroller, James O. Putnam; Attorney General, Charles Andrews; Treasuer, T. J. Chatfield; State Engineer, Franz Sigel; Canal Commissioner, Stephen Thayl; State Prison Inspector, John R. Vance; Judges of Appeals, Woodruff and Mason.

Labor Reform Convention—New Ticket in the Field.

WORCESTER, Mass., September 28.—The State Labor Reform Convention was attended by two hundred and eighty delegates, representing all the counties except Dukes and Nantucket. The main purpose of the Convention was the formation of a new political party in the interests of the workingmen. Resolutions were adopted denouncing all laws creating distinctions in favor of color, condition, nationality, or pursuit; insisting upon the reduction of the hours of labor at the public expense, to eight hours per day; demanding of all candidates for office a pledge to support a law prohibiting manufacturing corporations employing females and minors over ten hours per day; favoring the taxation of all bonds and securities; opposing the introduction into the country of a servile race to degrade and cheapen labor; and asserting that the recognition of the claim of the bondholders that the national debt is payable in coin only, is a clear repudiation of the national faith.

The following nominations were made: Governor, E M. Chamberlain, of Boston; Lieutenant Governor, James Chattaway, of Springfield; Secretary of State, S. B. Pratt, of Randolph; Treasurer, N. W. Stoddard, of North Bridgewater; Attorney General, Charles Cawley, of Lowell; Auditor, Joseph L. G. Lines, of Haverhill.

None of the gentlemen named have been prominent in political matters. The action of the convention is not likely to make much change in the present political aspect of the State.

Republican Meeting in Bedford, Pa.

BEDFORD, Pa, September 28.—The Republican meeting here is large and enthusiastic. Senator Bigham made an able and eloquent speech. Scull's nomination for Senate was unanimously approved.

CHICAGO.

State Fairs—Man Killed—One Newspaper Defunct, and Two Others to Spring from its Ashes—Corn Crop Injured by Frost.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CHICAGO, September 28.—Favored by good weather, the Illinois and Wisconsin State Fairs are in the full tide of success. Entries at the former Fair will number four thousand, and every department is well filled. At the latter Fair articles are arriving in quantities beyond any former precedent. The attendance at both Fairs is very large.

A Norwegian carpenter, named Christian Oleson, thirty-two years old, was instantly killed this morning by falling from the fifth story of a building on which he was at work.

The office and material of the *Abend Zertung* newspaper is still in the hands of the Sheriff.

It is now stated that two daily papers in the German language, both to support the People's Municipal Ticket, will spring from the ashes of the defunct sheet.

Frosts have occurred in various portions of this State, in some instances seriously injuring the corn crop, which is generally two or three weeks behind in growth.

California Items.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28.—Ex-Secretary Seward returned here to day. His progress through the Southern portion of the State was an ovation. He sails for Mexico on Thursday.

Numerous fires have occurred in the city during the past few days, causing great destruction of property.

The first rail on the Truckee and Virginia Railroad was laid to-day.

Work on Sutro tunnel commenced yesterday.

At the cricket match to-day between the Red Stocking Eleven of Cincinnati, against all California Eleven, Red Stockings scored in one innings 118, to 79 in two innings by all California, winning the game by long odds.

NEW YORK CITY.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, September 28, 1869.

The New York State Tobacco Manufacturers' Association to day adopted resolutions in favor of raising the price of manufactured tobacco.

The steamer Westphalia, from Hamburg, arrived to day.

The Committee appointed by the Gold Room to adjust the accounts of Friday last, have been busily engaged all evening at the banking house of Jay, Cook & Co. The work cannot be completed to-night, as statements have yet been furnished by only about two hundred and fifty out of the three hundred members of the Exchange. The work of adjustment is proceeding on the basis of 135 for all contracts made on Friday, except those of Belden & Co., whose accounts have been thrown out, and who are generally spoken of by the brokers as "gone up." Very few persons outside of the Committee are present and there is no excitement whatever.

LATEST.

A majority of the brokers adjusted their accounts before the Committee of the Gold Room to-night, without asking any abatement. The statement of Heath & Co. was received. Smith, Gould, Martin & Co. called on the Committee and stated that their account would be sent in immediately. The Committee are still engaged at one o'clock.

Points of Fact in the Cuban Business.

A letter from Washington says: The course of the managers of this cause in New York and in Washington is disgusting. They hesitate at no misrepresentation, manufacture accounts of battles, originate dispatches to incense Spain, in short stop at nothing which will involve this Government in trouble. Their dealings are far from what should characterize the leaders of such a movement as they claim theirs to be.

Further, nothing is more remote from the thought of the administration than to seek war with any power. Nothing but circumstances clearly involving the honor of the nation will bring it about. President Grant is, within the proper application of the term to national affairs, for peace. All branches of the Government are bending their energies to reducing expenditures, collecting the revenue and paying the debt. The results of this policy are just beginning to appear, and the people are everywhere rejoicing over a real success in public retrenchment and in the steady reduction of the debt. A mere declaration of war, or even an active preparation in view of the possibilties of war, would immediately destroy the whole work thus far accomplished.

There is one feature of the Cuban business which has attracted but little attention. The information which the Government has upon the subject proves that a very large majority of the Americans engaged in the movement are ex-Confederates. This is true also of the parties operating in New York. The whole affair is little more than an old fashioned filibustering expedition, and has few other claims to the recognition of the Government than had those bands of marauders which were so popular at the South before their rebellion gave them work to do at home.

The Magnetic Spring in Michigan.

The "Magnetic Spring" at St Louis, Michigan, is now entirely a myth, not a speculative job, if we may judge from the accounts. The spring is at St. Louis, Gratiot country, north of St. John, which is on the Detroit and Milwaukee Railway.

The Grand Rapids *Eagle* says:

The accommodations at St. Louis are passable and the charges not over a dollar a day. The hotels and boarding houses full, and their is an increasing demand for additional facilities. During the last week there were about one hundred invalids there from different sections of the country. The company owning the well have erected a bath house containing six rooms for the use of which a moderate fee is charged, the water is free to all, and quantities of it are carried off daily. There seems to be no doubt of the powerful properties of the water. Certain it is that it is a strong diuretic, and for all diseases of the kidneys it gives quick relief. Mr. Hake was there a week and returned feeling better than for a long time previous. The water is very pure, clear, cold and delightful to drink and excellent for washing and bathing purposes. It has many of the properities of the noted chalybeate waters of Europe, those at Brighton, Vichy and Kissengen. Of its electrical or magnetical qualities, there is no doubt. The discovery of this spring is an event in the history of this State, only equalled in importance by the discovery of the salt wells.

How Professor Agassiz Confounded a Mayor.

The oration of Professor Agassiz upon the character of Humboldt, delivered in Boston recently, reminds us of an anecdote never yet put in print. A pompous Mayor of a western city said to him that he had himself been deeply interested in natural science, but the pressure of business had prevented its pursuit. "I became a banker, sir, and I am what I am." The style of grandeur in which the words were uttered is indescribable. Agassiz immediately recited his own early history; how his father had provided a place for him in a bank on his leaving college; how he had begged first for one year more of study, then for another, and when he got a third his fate was fixed. "And, Mr. W.," said Agassiz, "if it had not been for that little firmness I should to-day have been nothing but a banker." Somehow the Mayor looked rather foolish.

—The International Union locomotive firemen are holding their fourth annual convention in Cincinnati. Forty delegates are in attendance. The proceedings are profoundly secret.

—There was a light frost in Richmond, Va., last evening. Reports from the tobacco growing regions say the frost is is light there, and the tobacco is not damaged.

GENERAL NEWS.

IOWA is sending large herds of cattle to winter in Southern Illinois.

WITHIN the last three years seven persons have been killed in going into menagerie cages and facing lions and tigers.

THE latest local sensation in New York is that of a conductor on the Sixth Avenue Railroad who is said to be worth several millions, more less.

IN BETHLEHEM, Pa., a number of European capitalists are negotiating for the purchase of lands in the Lehigh Valley, on which to erect extensive iron works.

SOMEBODY reports the following as Humboldt's opinion of Bayard Taylor: "Of all the men I ever knew he has traveled most, and knows least of the countries that he has visited."

THE Methodist Episcopal church in Clinton, Iowa, is to have a bell which will weigh two thousand pounds or over. The people are subscribing for it by cents and fractions of cents per pound. If the bell should weigh four thousand pounds, subscribing one cent will give $40 towards it.

OUT of the ten men under arrest at Jackson, Mississippi, for the attempted rescue of Col. Yerger, seven are ex-rebel Virginians, enlisted at Richmond. One of the soldiers' wives implicated knew Mrs. Yerger before the war. Seven thousand dollars were to be distributed among the conspirators.

A SLANDER CASE is on trial before the New London county, Ct., Superior Court, the parties being the Rev. Harris Howard and Gilbert B. Allen, both of Ledyard. It is charged that Allen said he "wouldn't go to hear the old muttonhead preach," or something of that sort, and Mr. Howard sues him for defamation of character, laying his damages at $5,000.

MR. HIRAM ARNOLD, living near Kalamazoo, Mich., a few days since issued invitations to the poor children of that city, just outside the village, and he would give them fifty bushels of peaches. This liberal offer was generally accepted, and many of those who are unable to purchase fruit for once had their wants supplied without price.

DANIEL WEBSTER once wrote, after continued provocation, to an editor who accused him of not paying his debts: "It is true that I have not always paid my debts punctually, and that I owe money. One cause of this is that I have not pressed those who owe me for pay. As an instance of this, I inclose your father's note, made to me thirty years ago, for money lent him to educate his boys."

THE venerable Anna Bishop, famed as a vocalist in antediluvian days, has been rusticating among the bones of the mastodons and other fossils who were cotemporaries, on the Hudson. She says she will sing no more in public. In her professional capacity she has traveled quite around the globe, and at one time, after a shipwreck in the Indian Ocean, journeyed fourteen hundred miles in an open boat.

A GREAT fire has been raging for the past three weeks, in the Cypress Swamp, in Sussex county, Del., and forests, fences, houses, barns, corn-fields and pastures have been destroyed. Nothing but a good soaking rain can stay the progress of the flames. Nearly a million of bushels of huckleberries grew in the swamp last year, and the Sussex *Journal* says there will not be one hundred bushels next year. Ditching has been resorted to in some places in order to save houses and barns, but such a body of fire, when the earth is parched and dry, is really unmanageable.

A SENSIBLE suggestion is made by an English druggist, whose professional observation has show that many lives which might be saved are anually lost through ignorance. He proposes that, in addition to the warning label "poison," on all packages containing dangerous substances, sold at drug stores, there should always be printed or inscribed the common names of the proper antidotes for each class of poison. In almost every case, if the knowledge of these antidotes were immediately available to those first informed of accidental or intentional poisoning, they would be used before a physician could be summoned, and the chances of success would be infinitely improved by the saving of time.

A WASHINGTON special states that early on Friday morning last Secretary Boutwell received a dispstch from Jay Gould, asking the loan of $800,000 in currency, on collateral security of bonds, at the same time calling the Secretary's attention to the fact that he (Gould) was the President of the Erie Railroad. He gave as a reason for this singular request that the Erie road was now engaged in heavy improvements in Ohio, and that the currency was needed to pay the hands, who would otherwise go unpaid, a calamity, in the view of Gould, (in consequence of the great dissatisfation it would produce,) which would be injurious on the eve of an election, especially when it became known that the Treasury had any quantity of currency locked up. Mr. Gould made other efforts to obtain currency, but Secretary Boutwell did not deem it proper to furnish capital for speculation on the present condition of affairs in Wall street.

SUPERINTENDENT KENNEDY, of New York, calls attention to the doings of a well-dressed young man who has started a nice little trade of his own. This genteel youth reads the newspapers, and whenever he hears of a case of "mysterious disappearance" gets a description of the missing person and calls on the family, representing himself as a detective, and gives bogus information of the lost one, for which he wants to be paid. Mr. Kennedy makes the following request, which people will do well to heed: "In order that the operations of this swindler, or any of his class, may be speedily terminated, the friends of missing persons are respectfully requested when any such representation is made by an unknown person, accompanied by a demand for, or intimated expectation of receiving reward or compensation for the information, to call on the nearest policeman, who will bring him to this office to have his statement tested."

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DOROTHY'S DOWER.

BY PHŒBE CAREY.

PART I.

"My sweetest Dorothy," said John,
Of course before the wedding.
As metaphorically he stood
His gold upon her shedding,
"Whatever thing you wish or want
Shall be hereafter granted,
For all my worldly goods are yours,"
The fellow was enchanted!
"About the little dower you may have
You thought might yet come handy,
Throw it away, do what you please,
Spend it on sugar-candy!
I like your sweet, dependent ways,
I love you when you tease me;
The more you ask, the more you spend,
The better you will please me."

PART II.

"Confound it, Dorothy," said John,
"I haven't got it by me,
You haven't, have you, spent that sum,
The dower from aunt Jemima?
No; well that's sensible for you;
This fix is most unpleasant;
But money's tight—so I just take yours
And use it for the present.
Now I must go—to meet a man!
By George, I'll have to borrow!
Lend me a twenty—that's all right!
I'll pay you back to-morrow."

PART III.

"Madam," said John to Dorothy,
And past her he rudely rushes;
"You think a man is made of gold,
And money grows on bushes!
Tom's shoes! your doctor! Can't you now
Get up some new disaster?
You and your children are enough
To break John Jacob Astor.
Where's what you had yourself when I
Was fool enough to court you?
That little sum, till you got me,
'Twas what had to support you!"
"It's lent and gone, not very far;
Pray don't be apprehensive,
"Lent? I have had use enough for it;
My family is expensive.
I didn't, as a woman would,
Spend it on sugar candy!
No, John, I think the most of it
Went for cigars and brandy!"

STATE ITEMS.

THE Presbyterian Synod met at Titusville on Friday last.

RECENT rains have caused a rise in the Schuylkill, and Philadelphia is happy.

THE deaths in Philadelphia last week were 236, twenty less than the previous week.

THE United American Mechanics hold their annual meeting at Philadelphia this week.

CONTRIBUTIONS to the Avondale relief fund, from all sources, amounted on Thursday last to $137,127.

MERCER is to have a mass meeting on the 7th of October, and expects to have Gen. Butler among the speakers.

TURKEYFOOT has changed its name to Confluence. It is situated at the confluence of the Youghiogheny, Cassleman and Laurel Hill rivers.

A PHILADEPHIA policeman, caught asleep on his beat, was relieved of his cap by his Chief, and failed to call for it at the station house next day.

THE application for an allocatur or writ of error in the case of Dr. Paul Schoppe, under sentence of death at Carlisle, has been refused by the Supreme Court.

JOSEPH BRINNER, recently arrested at Oil City for robbing a woman of $300, gave up the money, was committed to jail, and got out as soon as he was in.

FIVE years ago, Emporium, Cameron county, contained about two hundred and fifty inhabitants. Now it casts about one-third of the entire vote of the county.

THE will of the late Rev. Benjamin Dorr, D.D., of Christ Church, Philadelphia, contains bequests to the amount of about $10,000 to religious and charitable institutions.

THE Scranton *Republican* has reorganized its editorial staff. Mr. Joseph L. Shepley, of the Boston *Journal*, and Mr. W. W. Pasco, of the New York *Tribune*, will be the new members.

ON Tuesday evening, at Philadelphia David Paul Brown delivered an eulogium on the life and character of the late Hon. Joseph R. Ingersoll, late President of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania.

A CHANDELIER sixteen feet in diameter and twenty-five feet long, with two hundred and fifty burners, has been manufactured for the Academy of Music at Philadelphia. It is said to be the largest in the world.

MARGARET MCFADDEN, aged fifteen, a domestic in the employ of W. L. Richards, of Mauch Chunk, was burned to death on Wednesday of last week, by an explosion of kerosene oil, which she attempted to use as fuel.

AN apple tree on the farm of Mr. Peter M. Reeves, in Washington county, has yielded the present year ninety bushels, seventy-five of which were picked off and put away for use and the remainder gathered on the ground for cider.

A MAN exhibited to the editor of the Reading *Dispatch* on Friday last a hen, said to have laid three eggs *at one time*, the day previous—one of the ordinary size, one the size of a pigeon's egg, and the other about as large a wren's egg.

CHIEF ENGINEER DOWNEY, of Philadelphia, says that a fireman may be considered "equipped" if he wears a fire hat and carries a horn. A belt or shirt will not be considered equipments. The Chief of Police has asked that the question be decided, so that the rights of individuals claiming the privileges of firemen at fires may be recognized.

THE Titusville *Herald* has the following concerning some recent marriages in that place: "It is somewhat remarkable, first, that four weddings took place during the past week; second, that the four gentlemen were all merchants of Titusville; third, that they did business on the same street; fourth, that they occupied the same block; fifth, that they were all widowers; sixth, that in the aggregate, they have had thirteen wives."

ONE of the Avondale victims, a Mr. Gilroy, not having been buried in consecrated ground of the Catholic cemetery, in consequence of his having violated the rites of the church, in his marriage by a Justice of the Peace, the Scranton Post of the G. A. R. propose to disinter the remains, to which the Priest says he will not only not object, but render assistance, provided it be done on a week day or before seven o'clock on Sunday. There was much feeling about the matter.

AT A MEETING of Miners, at Hyde Park, Luzerne county, on Friday evening of last week, a resolution was adopted suggesting the necessity of the formation of a permanent fund in districts under the D. L. and W. Co., for the relief of widows and orphans of miners and laborers killed in the mines, and to that end each miner and laborer give a day's wages during the month of October. Another resolution was adopted appropriating the sum of $300 out of these contributions to the Avondale fund, and the remainder as a neucleus for the formation a permanent fund.

ABOUT thirty years ago, says the McKean *Miner*, Mr. Eugene Daly, then a resident of Schuylkill county, had one hundred dollars taken from his pocket, as was then supposed, by Patrick Sheehan, who roomed with him. A short time since Mr. Daly, now residing in McKean county, received a letter from Sheehan's son, residing near Milwaukee, Wis., stating that for twenty years or more his father had been endeavoring to find him (Mr. Daly) for the purpose of restoring the $100 stolen from him in Schuylkill county. He has since received a check for $200, being the amount of the principal and accrued interest since the time when Sheehan claims the money came into his hands.

THE Erie *Dispatch* announces with regret the demise of the popular and exclusively Erie holiday, known as "Cranberry Day." It says: "By virtue of the act taking the care of the Peninsula from the city of Erie and vesting it in the trustees of the Marine Hospital, the cranberries, the only article of pecuniary value that it produces, are now being picked for the benefit of the fund of that institution. Their value may be estimated in a sum of three figures, but the disappointment of the dwellers in Erie county will be hard to figure up. Each second Tuesday in October for many years past has been known as 'Cranberry Day.' Until a certain hour of that day, designated by the city authorities, the berries were sacredly guarded, and though there were some thieving done, woe to the person caught at it. As the final day approached an extra police force watched the 'marshes,' and all through the night preceding Cranberry Day camping parties crossed the bay, waiting by huge fires until morning light, when the signal was given for the grand rush to fill baskets. With some, 'Cranberry Day' was a source of profit, by which a poor family could in an hour earn enough to provide many necessaries, but the majority who went found the exciting sport of getting it worth more than the fruit obtained. It was a day of jollity, and for the nonce a great leveller of social distinctions. Everybody who could go, regardless of position, joined in the scramble, for the first sweep of the vines was little better than a scramble of an hour's duration."

GENERAL NEWS.

THE German language is to be taught in the public schools at Washington City.

THE "wickedest man" has made $60,000 out of alternate wickedness and piety.

THE Fisk Pavement and Flagging Company has organized in Chicago with a capital of $500,000.

A WOMAN in Concord, crazed by religious excitement, insists upon preaching in the garb of Eden.

A CENSUS is about being taken in Minnesota of all persons between five and twenty one years of age.

THE consolidated Presbyterians propose to send one hundred laymen to establish missions along the line of the Pacific railroad.

THE General Council of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of North America will meet in Chicago on the 4th of November next.

A DEMOCRATIC stump orator in California asserted that "the Republican party is pledged to give negro suffrage to the Africans."

THE Rev. T. T. Hendricks having lectured to the Gothamites on the subject of "What is Woman," proposes next to discuss "What is Man."

THE Chicago Court House was built of stone from Lockport, near Buffalo, N. Y. The Buffalo Custom House was built of stone from Lockport, near Chicago.

HON. GIDEON TRUESDALL, of Kenosha county, Wis., one of the most extensive dairymen in the State, has sent a cheese of sixty pounds weight to Horace Greeley.

AN English coroner's jury lately returned a verdict of "Death from fatty degeneration of the heart, accelerated by the deceased having strangled herself."

IN Hudson, N. Y., the owners of gardens have formed a protective society against fruit thieves, and offered a reward of $25 for the arrest of every depredator.

A SPECIAL premium of six silver spoons is to be given by the Salem county (N. J.) Agriricultural Society, to the girl, under sixteen years of age, who makes the best loaf of bread.

THE Omaha *Herald* states that coal all along the Union Pacific Road, between Carbon and Bitter Creek, can be mined in the Company's mines for seventy five cents per ton.

CONGRESSMAN AXTELL, Dem., of San Francisco, has displeased his political friends by advocating the repeal of all laws which prevent Chinamen from testifying in court.

BLINDMAN'S BUFF is supposed to come nearer to genuine human sympathy than any other amusement known to the children of men, because it is a fellow-feeling for a fellow-creature.

A MAN met with an accident recently in Maine, whereupon the newspaper said: "Miller's skull was badly fractured and survived only twenty four hours in an unconscious condition."

THE rising generation of Pigville, a suburb of Hartford, have lately been discovered fastening cats together with fish-hooks, and allowing them to fight till one or the other was literally torn to pieces.

ONE hundred and thirty able-bodied paupers having been taken from the Kings County (N. Y.) Alms House and set to work, they declared that if they must work, they would work for pay, and in less than one hour the whole number absconded.

THE skeleton of an Indian chief was exhumed at Peoria, Illinois, last week, by some workmen engaged in laying water pipe. It was in a good state of preservation and covered with beads, bells and trinkets. A crowd gathered and speedily disposed of the skeleton by carrying every particle of it away.

REV. PETER CARTWRIGHT, having been a presiding elder in the Methodist Church for fifty years, a jubilee was held at Lincoln, Illinois, by the Methodists, on Friday of last week, to commemorate it, at which large donations were made for the benefit of the aged minister, whose name is a household word all over the land.

CHOY CHEW has been interviewed since his return to California and expresses his pleasure at what he saw in the East. He still holds, however, to the opinion that California is at present the best field for the Chinese. He thinks the farmers of the West are impoverishing the soil and paying too little attention to its fertilization.

THE New York *Tribune* thinks the Preemption, Ill., story of a lady in hat place lately presenting her lord with six children at a birth, "all living and well," incredible, and that if true, it is the first instance of the kind in medical history. The *Tribune* adds that "such an extemporized family might possibly reduce a despairing parent to idiocy, but we confess to doubting the 'delight' under any circumstances."

THE Wheeling *Intelligencer* says "a gentleman from Pittsburgh, who owns a tract of land on Proctor creek, opposite New Martinsville, Wetzel county, has laid it off into village lots and is now offering them for sale. Quite a number have already been disposed of. The name bestowed on this new candidate for village honors, is Magnolia."

IN excavating for a sewer in Chicago, at a depth of eleven feet below the street surface, the workmen struck a cedar swamp. Fragments of cedar trees, rotted away to almost nothing, were found in abundance, also layers of sand and rotten leaves, showing the annual fall of leaves and their covering by layers of drift sand, the layers numbering about ten to the inch. It is thought that cedar swamp existed about thirteen hundred years ago.

THE Supreme Judicial Court of New Hampshire, at Dover, has decided that a man may be mulcted in an action for damages, in consequence of an act which he committed while a legally irresponsible child. The case was that of a young man named Ricker suing another named Freeman for damages inflicted eleven years ago. While the lads were scuffling Freeman threw Ricker against a hook, which entered his neck and injured him so badly that he has never recovered from the effects.

LAST week Mr. Valentine, a resident of Lansingburg, N. Y., while walking on the street, during a thunder storm, suddenly lost his power of speech and mind. He was assisted to his residence and medical aid summoned, when it was ascertained that the muscles of the tongue had become paralysed. On the following day Valentine was able to communicate by writing, and could hear as distinctly as ever, but his power of speech utterly failed him, in which condition he remained at last accounts.

SO MANY ways of cheating the citizens of that cheat-ridden metropolis have been discovered, says the New York *Tribune*, that it would seem difficult to unearth any new system of robbery. But a new violation of contract is daily practiced which already causes great inconvenience, and may, at any time, be the cause of some terrible crime. This refers to the turning off of the gaslights in the streets at an hour when they are most needed, viz., in the early morning. The gas contracts provide for the lighting of the streets *all night*.

LIFE INSURANCE is reported to be very flourishing in Massachusetts, where fifty-nine companies, representing fifteen hundred millions of dollars of insurance, are transacting business, and the oldest of which was established in 1845. This business, it is stated, is one of the few great interests that have known no fluctuations, but has grown steadily, increased both in peace and war. Since the official valuation of policies in Massachusetts was commenced in 1858, the number of companies has increased from fourteen to fifty-six at the beginning of 1869, the number of policies outstanding from forty thousand to more than half a million, the amount insured from $117,000,000, in round numbers, to $1,567,000,000, the annual income from $5,000,000 to $77,000,000, and the computed premium reserve from $11,000,000 to more than $140,000,000.

A CORRESPONDENT writes from Rome: The preparations for the Council in the Commissions are proceeding. An abstract of all the separate matters treated by the commissions will be submitted to the Bishops for inspection, who may then examine the various questions. At the same time they will receive a draft of the resolutions proposed, that they may also examine them before they are submitted to the Council for discussion. By this means unnecessary speeches will be spared, and the session of the Council shortened. This is the purpose of the preliminaries. The Council itself is to be named *Concilium Vaticanum*. Thirty bishops with their *suites* will be boarded and lodged in the Vatican. The public buildings, monasteries, colleges, &c., are placed at the disposal of the commissioners as far as they have room to spare, and they have also received 100,000 francs with which to hire private lodgings. Several palaces of the Pope have also been offered for the reception of his guests.

LITERARY INTELLIGENCE.

A TRANSLATION of Paul Heyse's charming German tales is said to be now being made.

CARLETON has published an English edition of Renan's works, including the *Life of Jesus*, *St. Paul*, and the *Apostles*.

MRS. NATHANIEL HAWTHORNE has a paper in *Putnam's Magazine* descriptive of Boston, England. She has a volume of similar articles which Putnam is about to publish.

MRS. WISTER'S success as a translator has induced the Harpers to employ a person to make rival translations, and they have just issued a cheap edition of the *Countess Gisela*.

On the Edge of the Storm is a tale of the time of the French Revolution, told by ths author of *Mademoisella Mori*, and just published by Putnam in his Library of European Literature.

MISS THACKERAY'S charming stories are to make two volumes of Fields, Osgood & Co's favorite Household Edition. The same edition of her father's works is to be completed by adding all of his miscellaneous works, including much never before collected.

MR. GEORGE BOKER is a prominent member of the Union League of Philadelphia, and therefore the Boston *Post* has criticised his new volume of poems from a Democratic stand-point. This introduction of politics into criticism will not find favor with every one.

MRS. SWISSHELM writes in this week's *Independent* on the Stowe-Byron sensation. She deprecates the narration, observing that "the great point of complaint appears to be the indelicacy of repeating such a tale. Had Byron written it, and dressed it in the fascinating costume of poetry, it would have been taken into the best society, and petted to the full content of the—gentleman it is impolite to name. Sin is a popular leader of fashion; but, drag her into the drawing-room as a culprit, and Laura Matilda drops her 'Don Juan' and faints, while Mrs. Propriety whispers 'prunes' and gets out her smelling salts. This is an age of enameled faces, renewed furniture, and varnished walls."

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TUESDAY, Sept. 28, 1869. {

The oil market was again very quiet to-day, and a little weak, under the influence of a decline at Antwerp, and, compared with yesterday, prices are lower. The great obstacle in the way just now is the financial troubles in New York, and the uncertainty in regard to the course of gold and foreign exchange, and it is not likely that there will be any improvement in the oil business, until the obstacle already alluded to has been removed. Operators generally are holding off waiting for later developments, entirely at sea, unable to determine what course to take, whether to buy or sell, to load or unload. Notwithstanding the great majority of our refineries have again resumed operations, the situation for the manufacturer is no better now than it was before they stopped. The same inequality in prices still exists, crude being relatively higher than refined, and taking present prices as a basis, there is little or no margin.

CRUDE.

Very quiet and dull, and looked at the close as though concessions would have to be made in order to effect sales. Sales of 1,000 bbls spot, at 14¾, and 1,000 seller this month, at same figure. At the close there were additional offers to sell same deliveries at this figure without finding buyers, including an offer to sell 2,000, seller 60 days. Sellers option all 1869, could have been sold at 14, but there were no sellers below 14¼@14½. Buyer all year nominal at 14¾@15.

REFINED.

Sale 500 bbls September, at 31¾; 500 at 31⅝; and 1,000 at 31⅝. October quoted at 32¼; and last three months at 32¼. Buyer all year nominal at 32½. It is not probable now that there will be any stir in the market until next month, as this month is nearly out.

LUBRICATING OILS.

Eclipse Winter Lubricating oil.....	40c
Eclipse Railroad Axle.....	35c
Eclipse Machinery.....	75c
Eclipse Spindle.....	80c

RECEIPTS OF CRUDE OIL BY A. V. R. R.

P. Weisenberger 320 bbls oil, on account Keys Bro: Waring, King & Co. 323 do on account, H McKelvy; Fisher Bro. 240: Fairview Oil Works, 240; Pennock & Beeson 50 on account, A W Raymond.

OIL SHIPPED EAST BY A. V. R. R.

B. W. Morgan & Co., 152 bbls ref. oil to Warden, Frew & Co., Philadelphia.

Lockhart, Frew & Co. 841 bbls refined to Warden, Frew & Co., Phila.

Fawcett, L. & S. 250 bbls refined to W. P. Logan & Bro., Philadelphia.

McKelvy & Bro., 205 bbls ref. oil to W. P. Logan & Bro., Philadelphia.

Braun & Wagner 300 bbls refined to Waring, King & Co., Philadelphia.

Citizens Oil Co. 659 bbls refined to Tack Bros., Philadelphia.

Total Refined..... 2,317

OIL SHIPPED EAST AT DUQUESNE DEPOT.

Hutchison Oil & Refining Co., 25 bbls to E. W. Hubley, Philadelphia.

S. B. Floyd & Co. 10 bbl refined oil to S. Sulger, Philadelphia,

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Cotton heavy and lower, with sales 2,500 bales at 28¼c for middling uplands. Flour: receipts 15,219 bbls; market heavy and 5@10c lower, with sales 7,400 bbls at $5,75@6,05 for superfine State and western, $6,10@6,65 for common to choice extra State, $6,05@6,60 for do. extra western, $6,70@6,85 for common to good choice white wheat extra, $6,15@6,75 for round hoop Ohio, $6,70@7 for extra St. Louis, and $7@9 for good to choice do. Rye flour quiet, with sales 250 bbls at $5,75@6,15. Corn meal quiet, with sales 100 bbls Marsh's caloric at $6,25. Whisky more active; sales 850 bbls western at $1,17½@1.18. Wheat: receipts 725,013 bush; heavy and 1@2c lower; sales 94,000 bush at $1,35@1,42½ for winter red Illinois, $1,44@1,47 for winter red and amber western, $1,53½ for amber Tennessee, $1,60 for white western, $1,61@1,75 for common choice white Michigan. Rye scarce and firmer; sales 1,500 bush old western at $1,20. Barley more active; sales 11,000 bush at $1,35 for State, and $1,50 for Canada West. Barley Malt dull. Corn: receipts were 55,181 bush, market heavy and 1c lower; sales 43,000 bush at 96c@$1,02 for unsound new mixed western, $1,03@1,04 for sound new mixed western, $1,07@1,08 for western yellow, and $1,10@1,12 for white western. Receipts oats 61,513 bush; without decided change, sales of 58,000 bush at 60@64c for new soutnern and western. Rice quiet. Coffee quiet. Sugar dull; sales of 267 hhds Cuba at 12¼c. Molasses dull. Petroleum quiet at 16¾c for crude and 32½c for refined. Hops dull. Linseed oil quiet. Pork heavy and lower; sales of 375 bbls at $31.25@31,50, mess closing with sellers at $30,75 cash, $26,50@27 for prime and $29,25@30 for prime mess. Beef quiet; sales of 135 bbls at $8,50@13,50 for new plain mess, and $12@17 for new extra mess. Hams dull; sales of 65 bbls at $18@26. Cut meats quiet; sales of 130 pks at 14¾@15¼c for shoulders and 17@19c for hams; middles quiet, sales of 100 bxs ice cured at 17@17½c. Lard dull and heavy; sales of 350 tierces at 16¾@18¼c for steam and 18¾@19¼c for kettle rendered. Butter quiet, 16@18c for Ohio. Cheese firm, 13@16¼c. Freights to Liverpool heavy and declining; shipments: 30,000 bushels wheat at 9d per sail and 9½d per steam, and 1,000 bbls flour per sail at 2s 3d.

Latest—Flour closed dull and in buyers' favor, with a moderate inquiry for shipping grades. Wheat dull and 1c lower. Rye quiet and steady at $1,15@1,20 for new and old winter. Oats steady at 62@63c for western. Corn dull and 1@2c lower at $1,00@1,03 for sound mixed western. Pork nominal at $30,75 for mess. Beef quiet and steady. Cut meats quiet and unchanged. Bacon is firm with a fair demand. Lard quiet at 18¾@19¼c for fair to prime steam. Eggs steady at 30@31½c.

CHICAGO, September 28.—Eastern Exchange firmer at 1-10@1-8 off buying, and par selling. Flour dull at $5@7 for spring extras. Wheat dull and 3@3½c lower; sales No. 1 at $1,12@1,13, and No. 2 at $1,08@1,10½, closing almost lifeless at $1,07@1,07½ cash and seller the month; this afternoon market quiet at $1,07 for No. 2 seller October. Corn dull, weak and 4@4½c lower; sales No. 2 at 71@74½c, and rejected at 70½@73c, closing at 71@71½c for No. 2; this afternoon the market was active and lower at 70@70¼c for No. 2, seller September. Oats inactive and 1c lower, with sales of No. 2 at 41¾@42½c, rejected at 39½@40½c, closing easy at 41¾c for No. 2. Rye quiet and firmer, with sales of No. 2 at 82@83c, rejected at 72@73c, closing at 82c for No. 2. Barley quiet at $1,26 cash, $1,30 seller the month, $1,20@1,21, seller October, for No. 2, and closing firm at $1,30, seller the month. Highwines opened easy at $1,09, closed firm at $1,10. Sugar sold at 13¾@15c for common to prime Cuba. Provisions dull and almost nominal: Mess pork $32,75@33. Lard 18c. Dry salted shoulders 14½c. Sweet pickled hams 18c. The receipts for the past twenty-four hours were 6,296 bbls flour, 119,578 bush wheat, 157,377 bush corn, 163,304 bush oats, 8,695 bush rye, 13,410 bus barley, 1,472 head hogs. Shipments were 5,737 bbls flour, 75,664 bush wheat, 178,642 bush corn, 161,492 bush oats, 4,245 bush rye, 369 bush barley, 1,273 head hogs. Freights moderately active and unchanged.

ST. LOUIS, September 28.—Tobacco active and higher at 8½@10c for planters. lugs; 9½@13c for common to good dark leaf; 15@40c for medium bright leaf. Cotton quiet at 27c. Hemp is firm with small sales of undressed at $1.30@1,35. Flour very dull but unchanged; fall superfine $5@12; X $5.30; XX $5,37@6; XXX $6,25; choice family at $6,75@7. Wheat languid, low grades 5@8c lower; irregular; No. 2 red fall at $1@1,05. No. 1 do. at $1,10@1,18, choice at $1,20@1,25, do. white at $1,10@1,15, and choice at $1,25. Corn steady and firm at 92½c for mixed, 95@96c for yellow, and $1@1,05½ for white. Oats firm at 48¼@52c; dull and drooping for all grades below choice; common to prime Iowa spring at 80c@$1,08, good to choice Minnesota at $1.30@1,55, Ohio fall at $1,80 @1,82½c, Missouri do. $1,75@1,85. Rye steady at 85@86c for prime. Whisky steady at $1,15. Groceries quiet and unchanged. Pork dull and lower; sales at $32@32,50. Dry salt meat stiff and higher. Loose clear sides 18½c, packed clear rib 18¼c. Bacon firm and higher: shoulders 16¾c, clear sides in half casks 20c, clear sides 19¾@20c. Lard dull at 18c for choice kettle.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 28.—Flour dull, family at $5,75@6. Wheat dull, with small sales at $1,12@1.17 for red. Corn dull at 96c, but not offered freely at this rate. Oats firmer at the close; No. 2 at 52c, No. 1 at 54c, and white at 56@58c. Rye dull at 98c@$1. Barley unchanged. Tobacco active, with sales 264 hhds at $7,50@21,50. Whisky unsettled, with sales at $1.12@1,15; closing at the inside price. Mess Pork quiet but firm at $32. Lard held at 18c, but there was no demand. Bulk shoulders held firmly at 15c, and could not be bought below this rate; clear bulk sides at 18c; no other kind of bulk meats offering. Bacon strong, and closing at 16¼@20c for shoulders and clear rib and clear sides; all the clear rib on the market were taken at 20c. Butter scarce as regards prime to choice, and such is in demand at 30@35c; that coming is nearly all low grade. Eggs 19c, and steady. Groceries unchanged. Linseed Oil dull and declined to 98c@1,00. Lard Oil is firmer at $1,37@1,40. Petroleum 32@34c for refined. Gold unsettled at $1,31 buying. Exchange firm at par buying and 1-10 premium selling. The money market is quiet at 8@10 per cent. for acceptable paper.

TOLEDO, September 28.—Flour dull, $6 @6,50 for double extra to fancy brands. Wheat 2@3c lower; regular Michigan $1,20, amber $1,18, No. 1 red $1,24, No. 2 do $1,20¼, No. 3 do $1,15. Corn unchanged and dull: No. 1 90c, No. 2 86c. Oats 3c lower; No. 1 54c, No. 2 46c. Freights firm, 4c and 9c to Buffalo and Oswego. Receipts: 5,100 bbls flour, 57,400 bush wheat, 9,300 bush corn, 14,000 bush oats, 11,000 bush rye. Shipments: 5,000 bbls flour, 52,700 bush wheat, 34,000 bush corn.

OSWEGO, Sept. 27.—Flour steady and in good demand, with sales of 2,100 bbls. Wheat quiet and unchanged; No. 1 Milwaukee club and amber Michigan held at $1.40. Corn quiet, and No. 2 held at 94@95c.

OSWEGO, September 28.—Flour in good demand and unchanged, with sales 2,000 bush amber Ohio at $1,36; No. 1 Milwaukee club held at $1,40. Corn lower; No. 1 held at 92c. Barley quiet; sales 1,500 bush Bay Quinte at $1,40.

MILWAUKEE, September 28.—Flour dull and lower; good spring extra at $5. Wheat very dull at $1,14½ for No. 1; $1,11 for No. 2. Oats in good demand at 42½c for No. 2. Corn dull and nominal. Rye unchanged. Barley dull and unchanged. Grain freights steady and unchanged. Receipts, 2,000 bbls flour; 118,000 bush wheat; 5,000 bush oats; 4,000 bush corn. Shipments, 5,000 bbls flour; 29,000 bush wheat.

BALTIMORE, September 28.—Flour is dull and favors buyers. Wheat dull and heavy; red $1,40@1,50 and $1,55. Corn dull; white $1,28@1,30. Oats dull 55@61c. Mess Pork firm at $33@33,50. Bacon active; rib sides 20@20½c; clear rib 20¾@21c; shoulders 17@17½c. Lard quiet 19@20c. Whisky in fair demand at $1,19 @1,20.

BUFFALO, September 28.—Flour neglected. Wheat nominal. Corn dull; sales of 12.000 bush sound western at 86 @86½c. Oats neglected. Rye: sales of 1 car load per sample at 95c. Barley nominal. Seeds: timothy dull, $3,90@4. Pork steady, $33. Lard steady, 19@19½. Highwines dull, held at $1,12@1,15.

PHILADELPHIA, September 28.—Flour unchanged. Wheat very dull, fair to prime red at $1,47@50. Rye unchanged. Corn dull but steady, mixed red western at $1,08@1,11. Oats steady at 64@65c. Petroleum; less doing, crude at 22c; refined at 31¼c. Whisky nominal at $1,21 @1,22. Provisions unchanged.

CLEVELAND, September 28.—Flour heavy. Wheat, spot at $1,24. Corn held at 95@97c. Oats: sales of 5 cars at 51c. Rye: sale of 1 car at $1. Petroleum: refined 28c for prime light straw to white, 28½@29c for standard white in large lots, retail lots 2@3c higher, crude held at $6,50.

DETROIT, September 28.—Wheat: receipts of 34,000 bush; extra white $1,46, No. 1 do $1,28, regular $1,19@1,20, amber $1,19.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD September 28.—5 cars iron ore, Shoneberger & Blair; 2 do do, McKnight & Co; 4 do do, McKnight, P & Co; 2 do do, Zug & Co; 1 car lumber, G A Mundorf;50 bbls oil, J Spear; 2 bxs tobacco, E McGlunis; 5 bbls shoulders, Drake & Robison; 23 bxs mdse, G A Kelley; 25 bbls apples, H Rea; 62 do do, Voigt, M & Co; 16 do do, W H Graff & Co; 4 rolls leather, G N Hoffstott; 36 bbls apples, Day & Co; 31 do do, W J Steel & Bro; 8 do do, S B Floyd & Co; 2 do do, Thos Mitchell; 10 doz brooms, J I House & Co: 11 bbls apples, H Riddle; 10 do do, J J Pettit; 73 bxs mdse, B L Fahnestock & Co; 30 bbls apples, J H Graff; 16 do lime, H McCullough & Co; 9 do do, Doring & Wightman; 2 rolls leather, Graham & Spangler; 1 bbl quinces, F G Craighead; 22 do apples, 1 do quinces, S Devo; 45 do apples, Bruggerman & O'Brien; 1 car barley, J M Carson & Co; 256 sks oats, McHenry & Hood; 1 car bran H Schnelback & Co; 99 sks rye, 113 bbls apples, P Duff & Son; 12 bbls flour, H Jenkins; 66 sks rye, W J Meek; 221 sks feed J & W Fairley; 5 bdls pelts, W Flaccus & Son; 20 bxs cheese, Watt, Lang & Co; 19 bbls apples, Vangorder & S; 33 do do, J Allen; 8 bgs feathers, J Craig.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILROAD, September 28.—1 car oats, 1 do millfeed, Keil & Ritchart; 1 do rye, J A Graff; 150 bbls flour, Shomaker & Langenheim; 50 do do, John Wilson & Son; 13 bxs cheese, N J Braden; 25 do do, W Haslage; 13 bales hops, John White Jr; 29 doz brooms, S Ewart & Co; 25 bbls flour, L J Blanchard; 30 bxs candles, Johnston & Colvin; 2 bgs coffee, S P Shriver & Co; 10 bbls pearls, J B Canfield; 1 car rye, Bruggerman & O'Brien; 1 car middlings, Bricker & Co; 1 car pig lead, B L Fahnestock & Co; 100 hides, M Delange; 7 bxs middles, 3 cars bulk meat, E H Myers & Co; 100 hides, J Y McLaughlin; 23 bgs timothy seed, A G Cubbage; 25 bbls highwines, M McCullough Jr; 1 car scrap iron, Coleman, Rahm & Co.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD, September 28.—3 cars railroad iron, C A Carpenter; 43 sks oats, Graham & Marshall; 10 crocks butter, 16 sks onions, Head & Metzgar; 7 sks rags, W M Gormly; 2 cars grain, Bingham & Laing; 1 car lime, D L Reynolds; 150 bbls refined oil, Livingston Bro; 4 rolls leather, G N Hoffstott; 1 bbl eggs, L J Blanchard; 3 do do, E Heazleton; large lot butter and eggs, owners; 1 car metal, John Moorhead; 1 do do, McKnight, Porter & Co; 1 do do, H Woodsides; 3 do stone, Henderson & Co.

ALLEGHENY STATION, September 28.—3 cars metal, Graff, Bennett & Co; 4 cars wheat, Kennedy & Bro; 4 cars limestone, Richey, Harbaugh & Co; 2 do ice, W Krebs; 900 pigs lead, Beymer, Bauman & Co; 1 car hay, M Steel & Son, 3 cars flaxseed, M B Suydam; 33 bgs oats, H Haring; 10 bbls flour, H Lenz; 1 car barley, G Seidle; 1 car metal, Spang, Chalfant & Co; 3 do do, Lewis, Bailey & Dalzell; 27 bdls hides, H & A Friend; 70 sks oats, 108 do rye, R Knox & Son; 50 bbls flour, Hippley & Beckert; 1 car flaxseed, Ewer, Hamilton & Co.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD, September 28.—8 bales cotton, H Childs; 4 cars staves, W Hastings; 5 bbls oil, Johnson & P; 5 do do, W Miller; 100 bbls flour, Watt, Lang & Co; 1 car bricks, Union Iron Mills; 25 bbls h wines, R Wood; 25 do do, Shipton & W; 6 hhds tobacco, A Schaub; 7 bales cotton, K Childs; 15 bbls flour, H Henderson; 10 do do, J R Murdock; 1 box mdse, S Greer; 2 bbls eggs, 1 do apples, F G Craighead; 120 bgs barley, 60 do wheat, 62 do oats, P Duff & Son.

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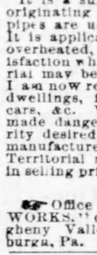

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RIVER NEWS.

The river was falling slowly at this point last evening, with eight feet four inches by the Allegheny marks and about seven feet by those of the Monongahela. Weather clear and cool—mercury 60 in shade. The Monongahela River is reported rising above, and it is possible that there will be more water here to-day.

The Maggie Hays departed for St. Louis last evening with about 600 tons on boat and barge, and 250 tons engaged below. Pilots—Javens and Stewart.

The tow-boat Leader will depart for Louisville to-day, with two barges of railroad iron.

The Allegheny continues to recede at Oil City with four feet eight inches at that point yesterday.

The Captain Murray who was arrested at New Albany, the other day, on a charge of burglary and attempted rape, was at one time well-known here, and if we mistake not, was raised in Beaver, Beaver county, this State. It is possible that later intelligence may throw quite a different light on the case. Captain Murray, for some years past, has been steamboating on the Cumberland river.

The Belle, Capt. H. H. Sholes, is the regular packet for Parkersburg to-day, leaving promptly at noon.

The Mollie Ebert, Capt. G. W. Ebert, with Standish Peppard in the office, will leave for Cincinnati to-day at noon. Capt. Ebert proposes to keep the Mollie permanently in the Pittsburgh and Cincinnati trade, leaving here every Wednesday. As she is a Pittsburgh boat our shippers ought to give her all they can.

The Bellevernon, Capt. J J Darragh Jr., is filling up steadily, and will take her departure for New Orleans to-morrow without fail. She will be followed by the Messenger.

—The Kenton is in the Cincinnati and Marietta packet trade.

—The Camelia, St. Louis to Pittsburgh, was at Louisville on Sunday.

—The St. Marys was advertised to leave Cincinnati for Pittsburgh on Tuesday.

—There is a large amount of New Orleans freight at Evensville awaiting shipment.

—An exchange says: The Guidon is undoubtedly sunk, but whether in "greenbacks" or in the Arkansas River, one can't say.

—Captain H. U. Hart sold his pet steamer Lawrence to Captain James S. Wise, Saturday, for $12,000. The Lawrence will take the place of the Havana in the Nashville and Cincinnati Packet Line.

—There is about five hundred tuns of freight lying at Fort Peck, at the mouth of Sun river, 275 miles from Fort Benton, by land, which it was expected would be landed at the latter place in the next thirty days.

—The New Orleans *Bulletin*, 23d, says: The arrivals embraced the Belle Lee from Greenville, with the blue ribbon trip of the season, namely: 2837 bales cotton and 3075 sacks seed, and the Wild Wagoner from Natchez with 1303 bales cotton and 1328 sacks seed.

—The Cincinnati *Commercial* of Monsays: The St. Marys arrived last evening, direct from Buffington. She was five days aground at the island; but by hard pulling, constant digging, (struck oil three times,) and an immense amount of blessing, she was relieved. She has a good load.

—The Parkersburg *Times* of Saturday says: Messrs. Crane, Hume & Co., shipped 200 barrels of oil to Cincinnati, yesterday, by river. Large rafts of plank and shingles from the Monongahela River are passing down.....Steamer Ajax with a large tow of empty barges is stuck on Carpenter's bar, above Marietta.

—A St. Louis dispatch under date of Sunday says: Freight here is in excess of tunnage. Virginia, Anna, Wauanita and Glendale are well laden. The Wauanita added thirty tuns for Memphis and way points. Stonewall had a slim trip. Clara Scott brought thirty tuns for the South. Glasgow had a moderate trip.

—A sidewheel steamer, named Helena Brooks, built of iron and but sixty-five feet in length, arrived on Sunday at Chicago from Baltimore. It came through the New York and Erie canal to the lakes, and thence round. It will leave Chicago for Bayou Teche, La., *via* the Illinois and Michigan canal to the Illinois river, thence to the Mississippi river and its place of destination.

—The Vicksburg *Herald*, of the 21st, learns from an officer of the Clarksville, on her way down, as follows: The towboat Bee, en route to New Orleans, ran into the bank last Monday night, near Island No. 95, which is just below Lake Providence, sunk one of her barges and crippled another, so as to cause the freight to be run out ashore very hurriedly to prevent it from being damaged. The sunken barge and its contents will be a total loss. The river was full of floating packages when the Clarksville passed, which was being gobbled up by people in skiffs.

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Mail Train....	1:20 am	*Day Express	12:30 am
Fast Line.....	1:45 am	*Pacific Ex...	7:45 am
Wall's No. 1..	6 20 am	Wall's No. 1..	6:30 am
BrintonAcc'n.	7:50 am	Mail Train.....	8:10 am
Wall's No. 2..	9:05 am	Bra'ksAc No 1.	5 10 pm
Cincinnati Ex.	8:25 am	Cincin'ti Ex..	12:30 pm
Johnstown Ac	10:20 am	Wall's No. 2..	11:35 am
Bra'ks Ac No1	7:00 pm	Johnstown Ac.	4:05 pm
Pittsb'h Ex.	12:40 pm	Bra'ks Ac No2	8:20 pm
Phila. Express	1:00 pm	Phila. Express	3:50 pm
Wall's No. 3...	1:50 pm	Wall's No. 3..	3:05 pm
Bra'ks Ac No 2	9:55 pm	Wall's No. 4..	6:05 pm
Wall's No. 4.	5:50 pm	*Fast Line.....	7:30 pm
Way Passen'r	10:20 pm	Wall's No. 5..	11:00 pm

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WE PRINT *on the inside pages of this morning's* GAZETTE—*Second Page: Poetry, "Dorothy's Dower," State Items, General News and Literary Intelligence. Third and Sixth pages: Finance and Trade, Markets, Imports, River News. Seventh page: Letter from Tennessee, Another Scandal, Free Masonry and Freedom in France, Amusements.*

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GOLD closed in New York yesterday at 131@132.

OHIO papers announce that the Rev. James Kent Stone, D. D., lately President of Kenyon College and afterwards of Hobart College, was formally received into the Catholic Church on the 12th of September.

BOWEN, the man who caused the disaster on the Erie Railway, at Carr's Rock, and whose confession was published some weeks ago, has been tried, convicted and sentenced to imprisonment for life. It is coming to be generally understood that a large part of the catastrophes on railways are produced, not by the negligence of workmen, but the malicious interference of outsiders.

THE New York *Times*, of last Saturday, did not hesitate to declare that "the Gould Fish iniquities in Wall street and in the Gold Room were brought to an abrupt end" on Friday, "the whole party having gone up." It is added:

That the days of the Erie Railway Ring, identical with the Gold Ring, which so ignominiously exploded to-day, are now numbered and reduced to a question of very short time, would seem to be quite certain.

THERE is as much point as truth in the remark of a cotemporary that with the exception of a few leaders here and there, there is nothing left of the old-fashioned Democracy but five per cent. of old Whigs, fifteen per cent. of Know Nothings and the balance made up from our Irish adopted citizens. Some of their best orators are remnants of the Whig party or of the "dark lantern" politics for which Mr. Asa Packer testified his regard, when he bolted to one of their candidates from a regular Democratic nomination.

"A revision of the income list in this city for 1868, for some of our millionaire Republican manufacturing friends would be interesting. Let us try the other side awhile."—*Post.*

To which we respond, most heartily, let it be done, and let millionaire Democratic manufacturers be included as well. It is just and proper that every man who makes a false return should not only be exposed, but receive proper punishment. A man who is not honest with the government, cannot be trusted in any matter whatever. But, we fail to see how this proposed revision can help Mr. PACKER.

THERE was a lively bit of sensation lurking in a recent statement industriously circulated by the press, that the intervention of the Treasury in the New York gold market, last week, was against the judgment of Secretary Boutwell, and only made at the express direction of the President. More than one very sensibly conducted Republican journal was deluded into the publication of this story. And there have been found so many unreflecting persons to believe what should have been at once stamped as a canard by people who know how the President systematically and absolutely declines to interfere in the business of the Departments, or with the official discretion of his Secretaries, that it has been found advisable to print, in the Washington papers of yesterday, an authoritative denial of the story. The Secretary's order to sell gold was given after consultation with the President, and its policy had the cordial approval of both.

THE next Ohio Legislature will consist of thirty-seven Senators and one hundred and eleven Representatives. The Cleveland *Leader* presents a carefully prepared list of the several districts with the nominations of each party therein. Our friends feel sure of electing eighteen of the Senators, conceding fourteen to the opposition, with five in doubt, four of them from Hamilton and one from the Belmont and Harrison district, for all of which the Republican ticket has the best chance. They also count upon fifty Representatives, certain, with the best claims upon Hamilton and four other doubtful counties. It appears, from this statement, that the control of the new Legislature will rather reward the more adroit management of the successful party, than necessarily follow a small majority on the State ticket. The re-election of Governor Hayes is no longer a question of doubt, but it is not clear that his majority will be large enough to guarantee a clean sweep of all the doubtful districts.

THE CANVASS IN THE CITY.

Judge KELLEY'S speech, last night, in City Hall, was a clear, massive and conclusive analization of the principles and tendencies, the conduct and purposes, of the two political parties into which the people of this country are divided. Few among our public men so well understand the history of these parties, and, consequently, the course of public affairs; and not one takes broader or more comprehensive views of the rights of individuals or the necessities and destiny of the nation. His wonderful knowledge of facts, and his admirable powers of generalization were particularly conspicuous. Those who were present, no matter what their own attainments, were not only entertained but instructed—lifted into a clearer conception of the nature and mission of the Republican party and the indispensability of its continuance in authority, not only for the preservation of the public honor in its financial engagements, but for the security of personal liberty, and the continuance of a long career of increased national prosperity, usefulness and renown.

DEMOCRATIC PECULIARITIES.

The real leaders—not the apparent—of the Democratic party in Pennsylvania are rich men. Mr. Asa Packer is one of them. Some of these leaders possess natural mental endowments combined with exact and varied culture altogether beyond the average of their fellow-citizens. Mr. Packer is not one of these. He is a fortunate business man. As was once said of Mr. Hamilton Fish—he is a bag of dollars; but shake the dollars out and the bag would be found entirely empty.

The masses of the Democratic party cherish a morbid dislike to men of wealth. They hold that wealth is robbery; that is, that if a man has more than could be fairly acquired by rough or skilled muscular work, he must have obtained it through fraud, more or less flagrant. Hence the nomination of Mr. Packer for Governor, by the Democratic State Convention, did not excite their sympathies, but rather enkindled a feeling of repulsion, if not of disgust.

A certain class of active politicians among the Democrats were at first delighted with the candidate. This class is composed of the men who, in all the cities and large towns, rally, drill and wield the tumultuary element—the substratum of the party. Not that they cared a pinch of snuff for the candidate, but were captivated by the plethory of his finances. They thought that he would furnish a fabulous amount of money for the campaign, and hoped that most of it would fall into their hands. Reports that seem to be tolerably well attested are current to the effect that the millionaire candidate obstinately refuses to make disbursements for political purposes at all commensurate with the expectations that had been formed, and that there is, consequently, much disgust at what is regarded as his untimely parsimony.

It is manifest, in this view of the case, that the Democrats committed a blunder in selecting the heaviest capitalist in the Commonwealth as their standard-bearer. The Democratic masses would possibly have forgiven a candidate his wealth if he had exhibited an unusual genius for statesmanship, or had otherwise distinguished himself in any of those performances which arrest public attention and elicit popular applause. But to ask them to grow enthusiastic over a candidate with no claim upon their regard but the possession of enormous wealth, was to betray a surprising ignorance of their deepest prejudices. The greedy whippers-in would have been satisfied if they had received, either in coin or greenbacks, the price they put upon their slimy services. But to have a candidate who is able to meet their requisitions, and who is still unwilling to do so, is what they can scarcely endure.

Hence Mr. PACKER, notwithstanding his neutral qualities, which, under various circumstances, are of manifest and incalculable advantage, is a failure. He has inspired no enthusiasm; and will inspire none. He is foredoomed to defeat. Nothing can save him from it; and this the leaders who brought him forward now understand full well.

THE TREASURY POLICY OF REDEMPTION.

Opposition writers upon finance, and unhappy Jeremiahs like Mr. Pendleton, find grievous fault with the Secretary of the Treasury for his application of the surplus revenue to the redemption at a premium of bonds which, like the five-twenties, have not reached an obligatory maturity. Even so respectable an authority as Hunt's *Merchants' Magazine* inclines to an unfavorable criticism upon the Treasury policy, since it quotes the principal objection from the opposition, without settling it summarily with the reply which should have been obvious to a well informed writer upon finance.

Say the objectors, "Why purchase bonds that need not be held due for yet eighteen years, paying for each million about $1,200,000 in money, and so in effect, adding to the public debt? Why not, instead, pay off the vast aggregate of debt now over due, payable on demand and reducible at par, instead of giving 20 per cent. for the privilege of redeeming bonds eighteen years before maturity?"

Our "vast aggregate" of over due debt, to which this reference is made, consists, in effect, altogether of the circulating medium of the country; it is the legal-tenders and fractional currency, the compound-interest notes (upon all of which no interest is now payable) and the three per cent. certificates. Besides these funds, there does not exist to-day more than two and a half millions of matured debt reducible at par. Not a dollar of those forms of debt can be reduced and cancelled without thereby directly contracting the currency. This is palpably evident of all but the three per cent. certificates and compound-interest notes, and equally true of these, since every dollar of them—over $53,000,000 in the aggregate—is held in the bank reserves, and if redeemed must be replaced in the bank vaults by greenbacks withdrawn for that purpose from active currency.

Should, then, the Secretary be assailed for declining thus to contract the currency, it will only remain to refer to the express provisions of law which forbid that contraction, beyond the fixed limits, in any way whatever.

The only practical reduction of the debt, therefore, is by the withdrawal of the five-twenty bonds. These are not cancelled, but go into the sinking fund, which expands not only with each addition of the principal, but by the regular accretion of the interest for the benefit of the people.

The Secretary has either to retire these bonds, for this purpose, or to contract the currency, or to surrender the policy of redemption altogether. Either of the last two alternatives would suit the partisan purposes of the opposition, but the first, adopted by the Treasury, meets the hearty approval of the country.

A PRIVATE letter from Gen. Reynolds to the President exposes the coalition in Texas between the rebel element and the Republican supporters of Hamilton. The paragraph below affords to the President abundant reasons for extending the support of the Administration to the party of loyalty and progress. We quote:

The circumstances all considered, I am constrained to believe that the coalition which has been charged as existing between the Conservatives, or A. J. Hamilton Republicans, and the Democrats (generally ex-Rebels) does actually exist The platforms of the two wings of the Republican party are precisely the same. The Radical wing *act out* their professions of adherence to the Reconstruction laws of Congress, and present for office men who are qualified under these laws. The Conservative wing frequently nominate men for office who are known to be disqualified under the Reconstruction laws, but who are also known to be acceptable to the Democrats. The success of the A. J. Hamilton faction, as it will be produced by Democratic votes, will be the defeat of Republicanism in Texas, and will put the State in the hands of the very men who, during the entire period of the Rebellion, exerted every nerve to destroy the Union, and who have uniformly opposed the Reconstruction laws with a persistency worthy of a better cause.

MINOR TOPICS.

EVERYTHING is being turned topsy-turvey. The modern iconoclasts have broken more of our most cherished images than did those who plied their business in the Netherlands some time ago, as so vividly described by Prescott and Motley. We have borne with patience the demolition of our pet idols. Pocahontas, Wm. Tell and some others; we even passed by with but a feeble groan the transformation, into a shower of meteors, of the rain of fire and brimstone which destroyed Sodom and Gomorrah! We have permitted unpleasant persons to assert that Joan of Arc was coarse and the Queen of Scots hideous; but all our feelings of the better sort, including our faith in the Scriptures, revolt against the latest attempt, which is to prove that Herod was a kind and benevolent old gentleman, whose chief failing was his excessive partiality for children. Against this bit of so called justification, we most decidedly protest Herod was Herod, and even Dr. Bushnell can't un-Herod him.

WHATEVER horror takes place in Chicago, Cincinnati is sure to follow up with something worse. It is all very well to carry on a rivalry, commercial or municipal, but, when it comes to a tournament of crime, we feel glad that Pittsburgh has not been entered in the lists. The rivalry between Porkopolis and Grainopolis has been a curious and an instructive one, but it has now passed beyond those points and might well be discontinued. So sure as a horrible murder, a disgraceful police case, or an appalling accident occurs in the one city, it is almost immediately followed by something similar or worse in the other. It is against this sort of rivalry that we should most certainly protest were we residents in either city.

GENTLEMEN who are wont to indulge in the pleasures of smoking, and who have been for some time harboring the hope that in but a little while the time would come when Cabanas and Partagas may be procured at prices which would not require the fortune of a Packer for every purchaser, may now consider that hope as effectually blasted for some time to come, Such a row seems to have been raised in Europe on the subject of Cuba that for the present it looks as if we were not to have her. It may be that the Cuban tobacco will cease to excel before we have a chance to try what effect the reckless exhaustion of soil peculiar to Yankee tilth would have upon it.

MANY of the heroes of the late war have beaten their swords into steel-pens or pruning-hooks, and bid fair to win new renown with their transformed weapons. We now learn something of the Prince Polignac, who fought very bravely as a volunteer in the rebel armies, and was several times promoted until he reached the rank of Major General. Since the close of the war this soldier has been living in Paris as a private citizen, devoting his time to various scientific investigations. Recently he read an able paper before the Scientific Society of London upon the various systems of instruction in the higher mathematics, and now he is engaged in studying "the origin and peculiarities of the cotton worm."

A FRENCH *feuilletonist* recently said "that two women are necessary to make the life of a man complete, the woman he loves and the woman that loves him." This sentence shows about as well as anything could the great fault in most modern French literature of the romance school. It appears to be almost impossible for a French novelist to conceive of both of these necessities of a complete life being bound in one volume. Such being the case, it has become necessary for them to treat lightly those interests and principles of matrimony and morality, which, until the most advanced class of English school came into existence, formed a very conspicuous thread in the web of English fiction.

IN MOST foreign cities there is a law compelling all vehicles which travel after dark to carry lighted lamps. This fashion has been imported to this country in part only; that is, ornamental lamps are considered part of the essential decoration of most carriages, but if anybody ever saw any of these lamps lighted he probably remembers it as something altogether out of his ordinary experience. Yet in a city like this, where most of the social intercourse takes place after business hours, among so many persons living in widely separated suburbs, and where the natural darkness of night is frequently greatly intensified by fogs from the rivers and smoke from the furnaces, such a law, properly enforced, would add much to the comfort and security of night-traveling.

THE Great Eastern, having at length found her mission, has become one of he most useful vessels afloat. Probably no other one ship is large enough to carry the necessary amount of telegraphic cable to connect two continents, and, as we saw in the first attempt to connect England and New Foundland in this way, two vessels do not work together satisfactorily. Indeed, we may almost believe that science would not be able to record one of her greatest achievements, if the leviathan ship had not been built. The Great Eastern is now taking on board the 1,800 miles of cable which is destined to lie across the bottom of the Arabian sea, connecting the ports of Aden and Bombay. When the work is done, this monster Puck of the ocean has but a few more links to put down before the world will have its girdle complete and, it is to be hoped, lasting.

To the Freeholders of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

In thirteen days it will be your privilege, in common with your fellow-citizens, to elect a Governor for this great Commonwealth, and whatever may be your preference you have but two persons to select from, the Hon. John W. Geary and the Hon. Asa Packer, representing respectively the Republican and Democratic parties. Personally there can be no possible objection to either of these gentlemen, and hence it is for you to decide whether you will entrust the government of the State to the Republican or the Democratic party, and as you decide this question you will cast your votes for one of these gentlemen. Under these circumstances it becomes our duty to examine the record of each during the time they have had control of the State Government. I shall not enter into an investigation of their actions in relation to the many great national questions that have agitated the public mind for the last twenty-five years, but the more domestic one. How have they managed our own household?

On the 30th of November, 1842, the debt of the Commonwealth had reached the sum of $37,937,788,24, and from this time until January, 1861, the Democratic party had almost uninterrupted control of the State government—twice only were they defeated in the election for Governor, and during the whole period they had a majority in one or the other branches of the State government, and no measure could pass that did not at least meet their approval. They levied taxes on personal property, permitting nothing to escape from the toilet to the stable. They placed taxes on our corporations, discriminating against those built by our own citizens and for the purpose of developing our vast mineral and agricultural resources, and upon you, the freeholders of this Commonwealth, they levied taxes on your households wholly unnecessary, and only to be squandered among their parasites. The single item of taxes on your real estate during this period amounted to the enormous sum of *twenty-five millions of dollars*, not one dollar of which would have been needed had they properly husbanded their other resources. What did they do with this?—build railroads and canals—*no*, they were already completed; on the contrary, they permitted our State works to go to destruction, so much so that when put up for sale, they were disposed of at one-third their original cost, and were by no means cheap at that. Did they pay off the indebtedness of the State? *not a dollar*, for on the first of January, 1861, when the Republican party came in power they found the debt of the State $37,969,847,50. Thirty-two thousand dollars in excess of what it was eighteen years before. The truth is these vast sums were squandered for the purpose of retaining power, and not until after an indignant constituency had hurled them from power did we ever hear of a Democrat advocating an economical State administration—but let us pass to the other side.

The Republican party came fully into power in January, 1861, with a State debt hanging over us of $37,969,847.50, and ere three months had elapsed they were compelled to borrow $3,000,000 for the purpose of arming and equipping our quota to aid in crushing the slaveholders' rebellion.

Since the inauguration of Governor Curtin nine years have nearly expired, and these have been nine years of Republican rule—true at times the Democratic party have had control of one or more branches of the State government, but have never held sufficient power to enable them to dictate the policy of the State. What has been the result? The State debt on the 30th of November, 1868, less funds in bank to pay overdue loans not then presented, was $32,795,293.25.

The State Treasurer is now proposing to pay off one million ($1,000,961) dollars of the debt due July 1, 1870, which will be done as soon as presented, and for all practical purposes can be considered paid, which leaves us with a debt of $31,795,293.29, or $6,174,554.21 less than when the Republican party came into power.

Debt of Commonwealth, November 30, 1868	$33,282,453.02
Less overdue loans not then presented, but which have since been paid	487,159 73
Actual debt, Nov. 30, 1868	$32 795,293.29
Loan of 1870, which the State Treasurer is now proposing to liquidate	1,000,000 00
State debt as it will stand at the expiration of this year	$31,795,293.29
Debt Nov. 30, 1860	$37 969 847 50
Debt Nov. 30, 1869	31,795,293 29
Reduction of debt	$ 6,174,554.21

Tuhs much have the Republican party done towards reducing your indebtedness.

In addition to this we have paid extraordinary expenses incident to the rebellion, amounting to $6,012,459.74. Six million and twelve thousand four hundred and fifty-nine dollars and seventy-four cents, distributed as follows:

Direct tax levied by the United States Government against the citizens of Pennsylvania, but assumed by her	$1,946,719 33
Equipment, pay of officers, and all other military expenses	5,300,153.55
Premium on gold to pay interest previous to 1865	463 774 90
National Cemeteries	16,092 00
Seventy-kill county draft riots	1,687 41
Relief to Chambersburg	597,608 74
Soldiers' orphans	1,620,457 69
	$9,945,719.33
Deduct military expenses refunded and allowed in settlement with General Government	3,933,433.88
	$6,012,459.72

Notwithstanding this enormous expenditure, and the steady reduction of your indebtedness, the Republican party, in 1866, repealed the State tax on real estate, leaving it to pay the ordinary expenses of county and local government. This relief, amounting in the past four years to seven million one hundred and forty-seven thousand one hundred and three dollars and ninety-two cents ($7,147,103 92).

I say the Republican party did this, for it is well known that the Democracy on the introduction of the bill by Mr. Quay, Chairman of the Committee of Ways and Means of the House, now Secretary of the Republican State Committee, used every means within their power to defeat its passage, one and all predicting that the State government could not be carried on without it, but on its final passage had not the courage to record themselves against it. The magnitude of this relief can be best understood by the annexed table, showing the amount saved to each county:

Adams	$ 66,656	Lancaster	$ 430,356
Allegheny	313,476	Lawrence	42,372
Armstrong	36 324	Lebanon	113 688
Beaver	50,316	Lehigh	125 448
Bedford	41,496	Luzerne	329,636
Berks	275,016	Lycoming	58.776
Blair	57,800	Mercer	58,872
Bradford	65,904	McKean	9,096
Bucks	231 576	Mifflin	48,180
Butler	92,128	Monroe	19,164
Cambria	25,968	Montgomery	233,940
Cameron	2 756	Montour	22,992
Carbon	29,448	Northampton	162 576
Chester	291 276	Northumberl'd	65,712
Centre	53 400	Perry	40 404
Clarion	20,844	Philadelphia	2 096 592
Clinton	36,792	Pike	8 424
Clearfield	19,500	Potter	11,256
Columbia	39,120	Schuylkill	134,628
Crawford	65,172	Snyder	32,232
Cumberland	147,420	Somerset	35 940
Dauphin	140,348	Sullivan	4 992
Delaware	121,444	Susquehanna	39,552
Erie	68,868	Tioga	29,268
Elk	10,128	Union	46,440
Franklin	152,088	Venango	13,400
Fulton	14,244	Warren	21,552
Forest	2 100	Washington	124 068
Greene	37,548	Wayne	20,928
Huntingdon	57 000	Westmoreland	95 268
Indiana	39,852	Wyoming	15,508
Jefferson	18 912	York	154,980
Juniata	35,316		

The actual relief to real estate has been:

Reduction of State Tax	$7,147,103 92
United States tax assumed and paid	1,946,719 33
Total	$9,093,822 25

To the tax-payers of Philadelphia this relief is equal to cancelling one-fourth her entire indebtedness, to wit:

Annual State tax	$524,148.00
Interest on her share of United States tax	36 000.00
Total	$560,148.00

or the interest on nine millions three hundred and thirty-five thousand eight hundred dollars ($9,335,800.)

Such are some of the results from Republican rule during nine years, an actual saving when compared with Democratic ascendancy of $20,334,117.87, as follows:

Reduction of State debt	$ 6,174,554 21
Expenses incident to the war	4,665,719 33
Direct tax paid U. S. Government	1,946 719.33
Saved by repeal of state tax on real estate	7,147,103 92
Total	$20,334,117 87

Fellow-citizens, you have here eighteen years of Democratic and nine years of Republican governing. Choose you between them. Respectfully,

A TAX-PAYER

AT THE breaking out of the rebellion, when the three-months' volunteers were raised, Asa Packer gave $50 towards their equipment. This generous donation from the possessor of twenty millions it seems is expected to offset four years' service upon the battle-field, which was John W. Geary's contribution to his country in her hour of need.

REV. JAMES CALDER, D. D., of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, has been elected President of Hillsdale College, Mich.

The Great Tax-Dodger.

Says the Harrisburg *Telegraph:*

The *Patriot* makes a bungling attempt to clear Packer of the tax fraud. It can't be done. The *Patriot's* effort is a miserable failure. No one has denied that he paid his taxes in Carbon county, after suit was brought for their recovery. The fraud charged is this: That he made a sham change of residence from Carbon county to Philadelphia; that when, in 1867 8, he was assessed in the latter place, he returned only his salary $2,800, money at interest $13,500, and two gold watches, the whole paying less than *forty dollars.* These are the points to which the *Patriot* should direct its attention. The issue can't be changed. The charge is direct, and must be met in a direct manner, or not at all. The odium cannot be removed from Mr. Packer by the *Patriot's* simple averment of a fact which has never been disputed.

We have no desire to "push things," like that illiberal enemy of Democracy, U. S. Grant, but we would be under lasting obligations to the *Patriot*, or any other equally trustworthy organ of the Democracy, to enlighten the voters of the State on these knotty points: Where does Asa Packer live? Does he pay any taxes? If so, where? How much? To whom? When? Also, does Asa Packer live anywhere?

The Philadelphia *Post* says: By reference to the list of voters at the last election it has been ascertained that the candidate of the Democracy for Gubernatorial honors, Judge Packer, voted at the last election in this city at the place of holding the election for the fourth division of the Sixth ward. His vote was challenged, when Jeremiah McKibben, proprietor of the Merchants Hotel, vouched for him, giving as his place of residence the hotel just mentioned."

The New York *Tribune* says: Pendleton and Packer—the two representatives of the Democratic integrity. One claims to be the inventor, as he is the most energetic expounder, of the scheme for defrauding those who put implicit faith in the promises of the Government at the beginning of the war; the other does not deny the charge of having, by a paltry trick, cheated his town, county, and State out of the just amount of taxes upon his enormous wealth. Pendleton asserts his honesty by urging the payment of a solid, hard money debt in a depreciated currency; Packer proves his by returning an income of less than one thousand dollars upon a property of twenty millions. And these are the idols of rectitude before whom the Democrats of Ohio and Pennsylvania bow down.

A WALL STREET SPECULATOR returning home on Saturday evening in no enviable frame of mind thus announced the result of his operations to the family group: "No more silk dresses this Winter, my dear; no more balls and parties; no more opera boxes;" and then, warming with his subject, "no more infernal winings and dinings, and no more d—d nonsense of any sort, Matilda." Surely, the most uninitiated would have known that the man was a *bear.*—*Advertiser.*

THOU BRINGEST ME LIFE—LUNG-WORT.

One of the truest and most suggestive ideas can be obtained from the caption at the head of this article; for of all diseases which impair human health and shorten human life, none are more prevalent than those which affect the lungs and pulmonary tissues. Whether we regard lung diseases in the light of a merely slight cough, which is but the fore-runner of a more serious malady, or as a deep lesion corroding and dissolving the pulmonary structure, it is always pregnant with evil and foreboding of disaster. In no class of maladies should the physician or the friends and family of the patient be more seriously forewarned than in those of the lungs, for it is in them that early and efficient treatment is most desirable, and it is then that danger can be warded off and a cure effected. In DR. KEYSER'S LUNG CURE you have a medicine of the greatest value in all these conditions. An alterative, a tonic, a nutrient and resolvent, succoring nature and sustaining the recuperative powers of the system, Its beautiful workings, in harmony with the regular functions, can be readily observed by the use of one or two bottles: it will soon break up the chain of morbid sympathies that disturb the harmonious workings of the animal economy. The harrassing cough, the painful respiration, the sputum streaked with blood, will soon give place to the normal and proper workings of health and vigor.

An aggregated experience of over thirty years has enabled Dr. Keyser, in the compounding of his LUNG CURE, to give new hope to the consumptive invalid and at the same time speedy relief in those now prevalent, catarrhal and throat affections, so distressing in their effects and so almost certainly fatal in their tendencies, unless cured by some appropriate remedy. DR. KEYSER'S LUNG CURE is so thorough and efficient, that any one who has ever used it, will never be without it in the house. It will often cure when everything else fails, and in simple cases will cure oftentimes in a few days.

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KEEP THE BODY IN GOOD REPAIR.

It is much easier to keep the system in good condition than to restore it to that condition when shattered by disease. The "House of Life," like other houses, should be promptly propped up and sustained whenever it shows signs of giving way. The first symptom of physical debility should be taken as a hint that a stimulant is required. The next question is, "what shall the stimulant be?"

A wholesome vegetable tonic, the stimulating properties of which are modified by the juices and extracts of anti-febrile and laxative roots and herbs—something which will regulate, soothe and purify, as well as invigorate—is the medicine required by the debilitated. There are many preparations which are claimed to be of this description, but HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS, the great vegetable preventive and restorative that has won its way to the confidence of the public and medical profession by a quarter of a century of unvarying success, stands pre-eminent among them all. To expatiate on its popularity would be to repeat a twice-told tale. It is only necessary to consult the records of the United States revenue Department to learn that its consumption is greater than that of any other proprietary remedy of either native or foreign origin

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

☞ **I. O. O. F.—NOTICE.**—A Special MEETING of IDA MAY LODGE, Degree of Rebekah, will be held in their Hall, corner Beaver avenue and Locust street Sixth ward, Allegheny City, on THURSDAY EVENING, Sept. 30th, 1869, (and on every Second and Fourth Thursday thereafter) Members of Sister Lodges and those wishing to have the Degree conferred are respectfully invited to attend. By order of N. G. se29:46

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CAME TO THE PREMISES OF JOHN BAYNE and HENRY PAINTER, in Wilkins Township, on the 15th of September, 1869, FIVE CALVES, as follows: One red and white, one black and white, one speckled, two red,—taken up trespassing on their said premises. Same day, and came to the premises of the same, on Sunday, the 19th of September, 1869, an ALDERNY BULL, of a reddish color, and TWO RED and WHITE CALVES, taken up trespassing on their said premises. se29:088T

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HOUSE AND LOT, No. 54 James street: House, new frame, contains 7 rooms and store room; also Frame Shop on rear of lot; shop 17x28 feet; the lot is 20 by 100 feet; is a splendid place for a grocer, baker or butcher; will be sold cheap.
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DISSOLUTION.—The partnership heretofore existing between JOHN M. COOPER and HENRY BIER, under the firm name of
JOHN M. COOPER & CO.,
Was dissolved on the
12th Day of August, 1869,
Henry Bier purchasing the interest of John M. Cooper.
Henry Bier settle all the business of the late firm. se21:063

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.—To the citizens of adjoining counties, who are forming Militia or Military Companies,
LANE & TOWNSEND,
30 Market St., Philadelphia,
offer for sale a large quantity of the All-Wool Dark Blue Cloth Infantry Frock Coats in sound condition, for the low price (in quantities of 50 or upwards) of $5.00 each, cash on delivery. au23:n40

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PROCLAMATION.
City of Allegheny, ss:

I, SIMON DRUM, Mayor in and for the City of Allegheny, do issue this, my Proclamation, that on the SECOND TUESDAY OF OCTOBER, A. D. 1869, being the 12th day of the month, the freemen of said city, qualified to vote for members of the House of Representatives of this Commonwealth, will meet at their several places of holding the elections in their respective wards and elect by ballot the following members of Select and Common Councils, together with one person to serve as Mayor for two years, and one person to serve as Director of the Poor for three years.
The electors of the First Ward of the City of Allegheny, to meet at the Public School House in said Ward, and elect one member of Select Council and two members of Common Council.
The electors of the Second Ward of the City of Allegheny to meet at the Public School House in said Ward, and elect one member of Select Council and three members of Common Council.
The electors of the Third Ward, of the City of Allegheny, to meet at the Public School House in the first precinct and at the house of George Herst in the second precinct, in said Ward, and elect one member of Select Council and four members of Common Council.
The electors of the Fourth Ward, City of Allegheny, to meet at the Public School House in the first precinct, and at the house of Mr. Gordon in the second precinct in said Ward, and elect one member of Select Council and four members of Common Council.
The electors of the Fifth ward, City of Allegheny, to meet at the Public School House in said Ward, and elect one member of Select Council and two members of Common Council.
The electors of the Sixth Ward, City of Allegheny, will meet in the Public School House in said Ward, and elect one member of Select Council and two members of Common Council.
The electors of the Seventh ward, City of Allegheny, will meet at the house of Lutz & Walz in said ward, and elect one member of Select Council and two members of Common Council.
The electors of the Eighth Ward, City of Allegheny, will meet at the Public School House in said Ward, and elect one member of Select Council and two members of Common Council.
In testimony I have hereunto set my hand and seal of the said City of Allegheny, this 28th day of September, A. D. 1869.
SIMON DRUM, Mayor.
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Book and Job Printers,
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FREE TRADE of the freest sort, practiced every day, and all day, at the Big No. 11 Clothing Hall. There the people bring their cash, and there they get their clothes. Every man free to buy at all times. Trade tremendous just now at the Big No. 11 Clothing Hall.
LOOK AT THE PRICES.
Cocoa nut suits for $7 worth $15.
Spanish suits for $9 worth $20.
Skating park suits for $12 worth $25.
500 suits, linen, at $2 50 each worth $5.
Black suits for $10 worth $20.
Boys' suits for $5 worth $10.
And a great many more too numerous to mention. Call early and secure your bargains, as we have but a few days to sell. Remember Big No. 11 Sixth street.
S. C. TRAUERMAN.
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DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.—The firm of BOLLMAN, BOYD & BAGALEY was this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by GEORGE W. BOLLMAN and RALPH BAGALEY, under the style and firm name of BOLLMAN & BAGALEY, who are authorized to collect all accounts due and pay all claims against the firm.
GEO. W. BOLLMAN, RALPH BAGALEY,
JOHN D. BOYD, WM. CAMPBELL, JR.
PITTSBURGH, August 21st, 1869.

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Black Waterproof Cloth,
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Dried Apples sell much higher when sliced with this machine than when quartered by the old process.
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OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND, Treasury Department of Pennsylvania, HARRISBURG, August 20, 1869

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED for the redemption of ONE MILLION DOLLARS of the loan of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, due July 1st, 1870, until 12 o'clock M. OCTOBER 1st, 1869. Communications to be addressed to R. W. MACKEY, Esq., State Treasurer, Harrisburg, Penna., and endorsed bids for redemption of State Loan.
F. JORDAN, Secretary of State.
J. F. HARTRANFT, Auditor General.
R. W. MACKEY, State Treasurer.
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.
N. B.—No newspaper publishing the above without authority, will receive pay therefor.
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☞ **THE REPUBLICANS OF** the Second ward, Pittsburgh, will meet at the School House on THURSDAY NEXT, SEPTEMBER 30th, 1869, at 7 o'clock, P. M., when and where names will be suggested to fill ward offices.
And the primary meeting for the nomination of said ward officers will be held at the same place on THURSDAY, OCTOBER 7th, between the hours of 4 and 7 o'clock, P. M.
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City Executive Committe for Second Ward.
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☞ **REPUBLICAN MEETING**
AT
WALKER'S MILLS,
In Robinson Township,
THURSDAY, Sept. 30,
At 7½ P. M. The meeting will be addressed by
Hon. THOMAS HOWARD,
JOHN H. KERR, Esq.,
J. E. McKELVY, Esq.
By order of Committee on Meetings and Speakers. se26:098

☞ **REPUBLICAN MEETING**
On Saturday, October 2d, at 4 P. M.,
AT LIBRARY,
In Snowden Township, will be addressed by
Hon. THOMAS HOWARD,
JOHN H. KERR, Esq.,
JOSIAH COHEN, Esq.
By order of Committee on Speakers and Meetings. se28:083

☞ **REPUBLICAN MEETING**
On Saturday, October 2d, at 3 P. M.,
AT WARREN'S HOTEL,
In Marshall Township, will be addressed by
A. M. BROWN, Esq.,
Col. T. M. BAYNE,
H. C. MACKRELL, Esq.,
W. S. PURVIANCE, Esq.
By order of Committee on Meetings and Speakers. se28:0c4

☞ **REPUBLICAN MEETING**
WILL BE HELD
AT TARENTUM,
On Friday, October 1st,
At 7½ o'clock. The meeting will be addressed by
JAMES W. MURRAY, Esq.,
Col. T. M. BAYNE,
W. C. McRELAND, Esq.
By order of the Committee on Meetings and Speakers. se29:095

☞ **REPUBLICAN MEETING**
AT FRANKSTOWN,
In the Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh, on
Friday Evening, October 1st,
At 7½ o'clock. The meeting will be addressed by
E. C. MACKRELL, Esq.,
P. C. SHANNON, Esq.,
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☞ **REPUBLICAN MEETING**
AT THE
WIGWAM,
In the Sixteenth ward, Pittsburgh, on
On Friday Evening, October 1st,
At 7½ o'clock. The meeting will be addressed by
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JAMES P. JOHNSTON, Esq.,
S. P. FULTON, Esq.,
MILES S. HUMPHREYS, Esq.
By order of Committee on Meetings and Speakers. se28:097

☞ **REPUBLICAN MEETING**
Will be held in the HALL of the
Eleventh Ward Public School House,
On WEDNESDAY EVENING, Sept. 29th, at 7½ o'clock, and will be addressed by
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Hon. THOMAS HOWARD.
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☞ **FOR MAYOR OF THE CITY** OF ALLEGHENY:
SIMON DRUM,
Subject to the decision of the Republican primary election, to be held Saturday, October 2d. se27:085

☞ **FOR MAYOR,**
A. P. CALLOW,
Subject to the decision of the Primary Elections, on Saturday, October 2d. se27:085

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FINANCE AND TRADE.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, September, 28.

The excitement in Wall street was very great throughout the day, and the events scarcely less important than for many days past. The Committee of the Gold Room, appointed in the morning, soon reported that the Bank of New York would undertake the clearances of last Friday's business in the Gold Room, subject to the following restrictions: That every statement must be correct; that if there is a gold balance, it must be paid in gold, and if a currency balance, it must be paid on certified checks. The Committee and Bank of New York further agreed that all clearances at the Bank should be made on a basis of 135 for gold, and that all differences be settled between respective dealers outside of the Bank. The room then voted to remain open only for transactions in gold. The loan market was all agreed that all loans to-day be made free of interest. The Gold Exchange assembled at three o'clock P. M., when the committee reported that the Bank of New York found their clerical force insufficient to clear Friday's contracts in the gold room without embarrassing regular operations. In this emergency, a resolution that a committee of twenty members of this Exchange be appointed to receive all the Clearing House sheets and examine them carefully, without receiving any money or balance sheet, and finding all correct, strike a balance sheet of the whole and present that to the bank of New York, was adopted after strong debate by the committee appointed. This committee, it is stated, will work all night, if necessary, to straighten out Friday's business. The announcement that the Bank of New York was unable to go on with the clearings occasioned a general rush for the Long Room to sell stocks, and another storm burst in the Stock Exchange, with a decline in prices from 3 to 15 per cent. The greatest depression was in Vanderbilt stocks, and New York Central sold down to 162. The street was filled with rumors of failures on the Stock Exchange, but none as yet are officially announced.

Secretary Boutwell, to-day, accepted only $897,000 of the bids for gold, throwing out all proposals below 130. Those accepted were at 130@132½.

The affairs of the Gold Exchange Bank were before a Committee of the Clearing house to-day, and the Bank stands debtor to $2,400,000 and paid in $1,000,000 in gold, equal to about $1,300,000 in currency, and $1,000,000 in the shape of loans, which are in process of collection. The creditors' bonds have been assessed for their portion of the $1,000,000 in loans until the same can be collected. This is the first real explanation the public have had of the cause of the delay in making settlements with the brokers. It is reported from this statement that the currency of the bank has been loaned to parties, and the whole street is brought to a dead lock thereby.

This afternoon the Committee on Suspension of the Clearing House regarded the securities handed over to the Clearing House, on account of the debt, or the balance of the Gold Exchange, as adequate to cover the liabilities, and have ascertained that to-morrow the bank will stand creditor at the Clearing House.

The Stock Exchange presented a gloomy aspect towards the close of the day, and the panicky feeling was renewed. The havoc made in values to-day has wiped from existence a large number of small operators and weakened many larger firms. There were many rumors of failures, but none are yet officially announced.

The National Stock Exchange commences dealing in gold to-morrow.

Money was very stringent at noon, and loans were made at ¼ per cent. on Governments and gold, and ⅓ to 2 per cent. on stock. A great many brokers had difficulty in making their bank accounts. There is a dead lock in discounts.

The *Commercial* understands that application has been made to the Secretary of the Treasury, requesting that he would make a provision for supplying the market with currency in the event of affairs assuming a more threatening aspect of a panic.

Gold nominally at 131 to 132.

Sterling nominally at 8@8¼.

Governments lower and dull, closing steady. Coupons of 1881, 118¾@119 do. '62, 120@120⅛; do 64, 119⅛; do. 65, 119⅜@119⅝; do new 119@119¼; do. 67, 117¾@117⅞; do. '68, 116⅜@117¼. 10-40s, 108⅛@108¾; Pacifics 6@7.

State bonds lower; Missouris, 84; old Tennessees, 60; new do. 53½; old Virginias, 53½; new do. 53; old North Carolinas, 45½; new do. 44. Stocks decidedly lower and panicky; Vanderbilt's shares showing greatest fall.

Six O'clock Prices: Canton, 53; Cumberland, 29; Western Union, 35⅞; Quicksilver, 12½; Mariposa, 7; do. preferred, 15⅝; Pacific Mail, 61¼; Adams Express, 49½; Wells, 17; American 30½; United States, 50; New York Central, 150½; Harlem, 120; Hudson, 135; Reading, 89¾@90¼; Erie, 26¾; do. preferred, 61; Michigan Central, 118; Michigan Southern, 76¼; Illinois Central, 131½; Pittsburgh, 87; Northwestern, 62⅜; do. preferred, 76½; Rock Island, 100¾; St. Paul, 62; do. preferred, 74⅞; Wabash, 55; Fort Wayne 81; Terre Haute, 30; do. preferred, 56; Chicago and Alton, 140; do. preferred, 141; Ohio and Mississippi, 24¼; St. Joseph, 104; do. preferred, 103; Columbus, Cincinnati and Indiana Central, 26¾, Dubuque, 106.

Boston prices: Copper Falls 8; Franklin, 11: Hecla, 70; Quincy 25.

The Sub-Treasury balance has not yet been announced.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, TUESDAY, Sept. 28, 1869.

—Closing quotations received by James T. Brady & Co. Gold: ——; United States Sixes, 1881, 118¾; Five-Twenties; 1862, 120; do. 1864, 119¼; do. 1865, 119⅛; Ten-Forties, 108⅝; Five-Twenties, January and July, 1865, 117½; do. do. 1867, 117⅛; do. do. 1868, 117⅛; Due Compounds, ——; Union Pacific Railroad, 86: Central do, do, 99; Cy. Pacific, 107⅛; Lake Superiors, 96.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, TUESDAY, Sept. 28, 1869.

Those operators in Chicago who are carrying large stocks of Grain, are experiencing a pretty bitter time of it, and many of these are doubtless the same who, thirty days ago, made such vigorous bull movements, resorting to all kinds of strategy to keep up prices. They endeavored, and, for a time, were partially successful, in creating the impression, that the crops both in this country and Europe had been ruined by excessive rains, and that the yield would be a light one, below the average. The events of the past month, however, have changed the situation pretty effectually, and the cry of short crop, to use a common phrase, is about played out. The crop this year is doubtless the largest in in the history of this country and recent advices from Europe, are much more encouraging than they were a month ago. The result of all this is that Wheat has declined 20@25 cts. per bushel in Chicago, with indications of a still further decline, and flour is down fully a dollar per bbl, and those who have, in the face of what has been transfering, persistently advocated the full theory, are not entitled to much credit for shrewdness or sagacity, and but little sympathy will be felt for those of them who are forced to the wall.

APPLES—Continue dull with a supply largely in excess of the demand; we continue to quote at $1,00@2,00 per bbl.

BUTTER—Is dull with a large stock and light demand; sales at 25@30, for good to strictly prime.

CHEESE—Is steady with a steady demand but unchanged, ranging from 14@17, the outside figure for Goshen.

CARBON OIL—The demand is improving steadily, and the market is firm but unchanged; 29 for round lots and 30@31 in a jobbing way.

CRANBERRIES—Sales of prime eastern cultivated at $12,00 per bbl.

EGGS—Sales fresh packed reported at 21@22.

FEATHERS—Dull; quoted at 80@85 cents to the trade, and the usual advance for small lots in store.

FLOUR—Is quiet and dull, but unchanged. Winter wheat brands are being sold to the trade at $6,75@7. Little or no inquiry for Srping wheat flours, and the stock in this market is very much reduced.

GRAIN—Wheat is quiet and unchanged; $1,30 for prime red, and $1,35 for prime white. Oats easier under influence of increased arrivals, and last week's prices cannot be realized. We now quote at 50 in first hands, and 54@55 in store. Sale 4 cars prime yellow corn at $1. Rye is dull, and it would appear that there are no buyers above $1,10. Barley is coming in very sparingly, and the market is firm but unchanged—sales at $1,25@1,30 for prime spring and fall.

HAY—Sales from country wagons at $15@22, as to quality.

HEMP—Very dull, $205 per ton.

HUSKS—Sales at 2¾@3 cts per pound.

LARD OIL—F. Sellers & Co. quote Extra No. 1, at $1,43@1,45, and No. 2, at $1,05@1,08

PROVISIONS—Firmer and higher. Shoulders, 16¼@16½; Ribbed Sides, 19; Short Ribbed, 19¾; Clear do, 20; plain Sugar Cured Hams, 22½; Cavassed do, 23½. Mess Pork, $33¼@33¾. Lard, 20½ in tirces, 20¾ in bbls, and 21¼ in kegs.

PEANUTS—None in hands of commission men.

PEACHES—Sales at $1@2 per bushel, as to quality.

POTATOES—Sweets remain unchanged, ranging from $4 to $5 per barrel, the latter figure for prime Jerseys.

PLUMS—None in market, season about over.

SEED—Flaxseed is in demand, and the mills are paying $2,20@2,25. Small sales of timothy seed at $4,25@4,50. No demand for clover seed.

SALT—Is firmer, with sales of car load lots at $1,85 per bbl.

STRAW—Sold in Allegheny market at $12 per ton.

Live Stock Market.

CAMBRIDGE, September 28.—Beef Cattle receipts 739; prices improved ½c, sales of extra at $12,75@13,25, first quality $11,50@12,50, second quality $10@11, third quality $8@9,50. Sheep and lambs receipts 9.730, market unchanged, sales of extra at $3,75@4 25.

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—Cattle dull and weaker at $3,75@5,80 for cows and light steers. Hogs steady and firm at $8,50@9,10 for common; $9,25@9,45 for fair to medium; $9,60@10,00 for good to choice, and $10,12½@15,00 for extra choice assorted.

CINCINNATI, September 28.—Beef cattle are dull, and the prices are lower; common to extra $3 to $6,50 per gross. Sheep are dull at $2,50 to $4,50 per gross. Hogs are in good demand at $9@10 per cental gross.

ST. LOUIS, September 28.—Cattle in good supply and active at 2½@6½c. Hogs steady and active at 7@8c for stock and 8½@10¼c for fat. Receipts hogs 750 head.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, September 28.—A little more animation is perceivable, but the market is far from being active or buoyant. Sprague band stripes are reduced in price from 14 to 13½c, 4-4 Daval bleached muslins from 21 to 20c, and 4-4 do Green from 12½c to 12c. Androscoggin commands 18c. Imperial, which are the seconds, sell at 16½c, and the Rose Bud at the same price. In other classes of goods there is no important change to observe.

LOUISVILLE, September 28.—Flour is quiet: superfine $5,04@5,25. Grain quiet. Wheat; red $1,05@1,10, and white $1,15@1,20. Corn in bulk 90@95c. Oats in bulk 50@55c. Rye 90@95c. Groceriee in fair demand and firm. Leaf Tobacco active, with sales to-day of 135 hhds at $7,90@16,25. Mess Pork quiet at $32,50@33.00. Bacon; shoulders 17c, clear rib 20¼c, clear sides 20¼c. Hams; sugar cured 24c, and fancy 25c. Lard quiet and weak at 19¼@19½c in tierces. Whisky; raw $1,16.

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LETTER FROM EAST TENNESSEE.

[Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

PIKEVILLE, September 23, 1869.

After a residence of nearly a year, I will give my experience in reference to the health, climate, stock growing, fruit culture, and productions generally of this locality. I write for the benefit of those who, on account of their health, or other considerations, desire to emigrate to a mild, genial and healthy climate. If a man wishes to enjoy physical life to its fullest extent, this is the place toward which he should direct his steps. To invalids, before you give up all hope, we would say, come and try our mild and bracing climate, and experience the benefit of our medicinal waters. To those in health, we would say, if you wish to escape the severity of Northern winters, come down here, where the entire Winter is a scene of active out-door operations. The past Summer has been as pleasant as any I ever enjoyed, while the Winter, Spring and Autumn so far have been the most comfortable I ever experienced any where. I have lived north in latitude of Pittsburgh, east in latitude of Cape May, and west in latitude of St. Louis, and consider the aggregate of comfort during the entire year as far excelling that of either the above mentioned places. The cattle, mules, sheep and hogs, as well as deer, are in fine condition on the broad expansive pastures of the Table Lands. They have also thriven well on the cultivated grasses of that valley, the grasses being very nutritious, and there being few or no flies to annoy the animals—a remarkable peculiarity of this section. Wool can be produced very cheaply here. Although we are so far south, yet winter apples grow to perfection. All kinds of fruit known to our country grow well here, except oranges. The cultivation of winter apples is destined to be a source of profit at no distant day. The largest and finest specimens of the peach tree may be seen here, and that without cultivation or attention. The wheat and oat crops were good. The corn crop is much shortened by the drouth that has generally prevailed in the south and east the past summer, yet where the land was ploughed deeply in the spring, the corn is good, notwithstanding the drouth. Deep tillage, improved implements and enterprising northern farmers, are *the* things the South needs. My father, who moved here from Pennsylvania last spring, has a field of corn that will average about forty bushels of shelled corn per acre, unfavorable as was the season. The land cost him twenty dollars per acre, and the corn is worth one dollar per bushel. This field is rolling upland, and had been badly farmed for sixty years.

The mineral wealth of this country is very great; coal, iron, plaster, alum, copperas, epsom salts, porcelain clay, and minerals for dyeing purposes, are all found here in large quantities. Quite a number of northern people have settled in this country the past year. They are a peaceful and well-disposed people. The laws are strictly enforced, and *law* and *order* prevail. Churches and schools are beginning to prosper, and Sunday schools are being re-established. White labor is respected here, which is not the case in every section of the South. Land has just commenced to advance, and now is the time to invest. A number of good farms are for sale at from one to twenty five dollars per acre. This land in the North would sell at from six to ten times the price it is held at here.

ANOTHER SCANDAL.

Why Charles Dickens Separated from His Wife—His Own Statement.

The great novelist prefaces his letters as follows: "You have not only my full permission to show this, but I *beg* you to show this to any one who wishes to do me right, or to any one who has been misled into doing me wrong." We therefore take pleasure in presenting his statements to our readers:

"MY DEAR ——: Mrs. Dickens and I have lived unhappily together for many years. Hardly any one who has known us intimately can fail to have known that we are in all respects of character and temperament, wonderfully unsuited to each other. I suppose that no two people, not vicious in themselves, ever were joined together, who had greater difficulty in understanding one another, or who had less in common. An attached woman servant (more friend to both of us than a servant), who lived with us sixteen years, and is now married, and who was, and still is, in Mrs. Dickens's confidence and mine, who had the closest familiar experience of this unhappiness in London, in the country, in France, in Italy, wherever we have been, year after year, month after month, week after week, day after day, will bear testimony to this.

"Nothing has, on many occasions, stood between us and a separation, but Mrs. Dickens's sister, Georgine Hogarth. From the age of fifteen she has devoted herself to our house and children. She has been their playmate, nurse, instructress, friend, protectress, adviser and companion. In the manly consideration towards Mrs. Dickens which I owe to my wife, I will merely remark of her that the peculiarity of her character has thrown all the care of the children on some one else. I do not know—I cannot by any stretch of fancy imagine—what would have become of them but for this aunt who has grown up with them, to whom they are devoted, and who has sacrificed the best part of her life and youth to them.

"She has remonstrated, reasoned, suffered and toiled, and come again to prevent a separation between Mrs. Dickens and me. Mrs. Dickens has often expressed to her her sense of her affectionate care and devotion in the house—never more strongly than within the last twelve months.

"For some years past Mrs. Dickens has been in the habit of representing to me that it would be better for her to go away and live apart; that her always increasing estrangement made a mental disorder under which she sometimes labors; more, that she felt herself unfit for the life she had to lead as my wife, and that she would be far better away. I have uniformly replied that she must bear our misfortune, and fight the fight out to the end; that the children were the first consideration, and that I feared they must bind us together 'in appearance.'

"At length, within these three weeks, it was suggested to me by Forster, that even for their sakes, it would surely be better to reconstruct and rearrange the unhappy home. I empowered him to treat with Mrs. Dickens as the friends of both of us for one and twenty years. Mrs. Dickens wished to add, on her part, Mark Lemon, and did so. On Saturday last Lemon wrote to Forster that Mrs. Dickens 'gratefully and thankfully accepted' the terms I proposed to her. Of the pecuniary part of them, I will only say that I believe they are as generous as of Mrs. Dickens were a lady of distinction and I a man of fortune. The remaining parts of them are easily described—my eldest boy to live with Mrs. Dickens and to take care of her; my eldest girl to keep my house, both my girls and all my children, but the eldest son, to live with me in the continued companionship of their Aunt Georgine, for whom they have all the tenderest affections that I have ever seen among young people, and who has a higher claim (as I have often declared, for many years,) upon my affection, respect and gratitude than anybody in this world.

"I hope that no one who may become acquainted with what I write here, can possibly be so cruel and unjust as to put any misconstruction on our separation, so far. My elder children all understand it perfectly, and all accept it as inevitable.

"There is not a shadow of doubt or concealment among us. My eldest son and I are one as to it all.

"Two wicked persons, who should have spoken very different of me, in consideration of earned respect and gratitude, have (as I am told, and, indeed, to my personal knowledge,) coupled with this separation the name of a young lady for whom I have great attachment and regard. I will not repeat the name—I honor it too much. Upon my soul and honor, there is not on this earth a more virtuous and spotless creature than that young lady. I know her to be innocent and pure, and as good as my own daughters.

"Further, I am quite sure that Mrs. Dickens, having received this assurance from me, must now believe it in the respect I know her to have for me, and in the perfect confidence I know her to have in her better moments to repose in my truthfulness.

"On this head, again, there is not a shadow of doubt or concealment between my children and me. All is open and plain among us, as though we were brothers and sisters. They are perfectly certain that I would not deceive them, and the confidence among us is without a fear.

—*Boston Folio.* 'C. D.'"

Free-Masonry and Freedom in France

A correspondent of the Cincinnati *Commercial* writes:

The following will not be uninteresting to your numerous Masonic readers, and in these times of progress it may possess some interest to the "profane."

The Grand Orient of France recently suspended all fraternal intercourse with the Grand Orient of Brazil, because the latter body adhered to and recognized the institution of slavery, and discriminated against negroes being eligible for initiation into Masonry.

At the last meeting of the Grand Orient of France the question was raised as to whether that body would longer maintain and continue to hold amicable and fraternal Masonic relations with foreign Masonic powers, who refused the right of initiation to any one, simply because of the color of the skin.

The subject was warmly and ably discussed; the speakers were unanimous in their denunciation and condemnation of this rule or practice as being in direct violation of the spirit of the institution, which proclaims to all liberty, fraternity and equality.

One of the speakers said: "We regret that in 1869, after more than a century's existence, French Free Masonry should be under the necessity of proclaiming anew those principles which are disclosed in her temples, and with which she has, as with a glory, crowned the great principles of 1789, by inscribing over the portals of her temples these eternal truths, our ancient device, 'Liberty, Equality, Fraternity.' [Applause.]

"We regret that Free Masonry should be obliged to proclaim anew a principle which, for a long period, thanks to her, has had a place in our laws: 'He who touches the soil of France, or he who is covered by her flag is free.' [Bravos, bravos.]

"We have proclaimed to the world, for so long a time, these great principles, that we should not have occasion to proclaim them now. They will remain forever engraved in our hearts, and we will always be as ready to defend them as to proclaim them." [Great applause.]

The following resolution was then offered:

"The Masons under the jurisdiction of the Grand Orient of France, by their legal representatives, regularly convoked in the Annual Assembly of 1869, affirm that humanity and Masonry are outraged when color, race or religion are deemed sufficient to interdict or profane from initiation into the great Mason ic family."

The mover then said, "I also propose to request the illustrious Grand Master to notify all the foreign Masonic powers of this our action, and to make known to them that hereafter and from this time forth *the Grand Orient of France, breaks all alliance with every Masonic power which does not recognize this declaration.*"

The mover continues: "The moment the motion is taken on these propositions—the moment the Grand Orator has concluded, let us, with unanimous acclamation, cover with our French batteries (a Masonic phrase,) and crown our declaration, so French and so humanitarian." These words were received with prolonged applause.

The resolutions were then adopted unanimously, and the vote was followed with applause.

The Grand Master then proposed to the Assembly a triple battery to the Masons of all countries, to all brethren without distinction, to equality among men, and that liberty and universal fraternity, which we come to proclaim, and of which we are the defenders. These words were received with the triple applause, given with enthusiasm.

The action of the Grand Orient of France, so in conformity with the real professed principles and landmarks of Freemasonry, but so contrary to the present *practices* of the Grand Lodges in the United States, breaks up and destroys, for the time being, all fraternal intercourse between the French and American lodges.

During the last year the Grand Orient of France recognized what is termed a clandestine Masonic organization in the city of New Orleans. The reason assigned for this by the Grand Orient is that the Grand American Lodges, in violating the true spirit of Masonry, persist in excluding negroes from the privilege of initiation in their lodges. It is claimed that the body recognized is more liberal, and excludes none on account of color.

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The great reason why physicians do not cure Consumption is, they try to do too much; they give medicine to stop the cough, to stop chills, to stop night sweats, hectic fever, and by so doing they derange the whole digestive powers, locking up the secretions, and eventually the patient sinks and dies.

Dr. Schenck, in his treatment, does not try to stop a cough, night sweats, chills or fever. Remove the cause, and they will all stop of their own accord. No one can be cured of Consumption, Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Catarrh, Canker, Ulcerated Throat, unless the liver and stomach are made healthy.

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BISHOPTHORPE SCHOOL for GIRLS, will begin its second year D. V. on the 15th of SEPTEMBER next. The number of pupils all of whom live in the house, is limited to thirty. French is taught by a resident governess, and so far as possible is made the language of the family. Address, for circulars, etc., MISS CHASE, Bishopthorpe, Bethlehem, Penna. au30

CHEGARAY INSTITUTE, 1527 and 1529 SPRUCE STREET, Philadelphia, Pa. ENGLISH AND FRENCH. For Young Ladies and Misses, Boarding and Day Pupils, will reopen on MONDAY, September 20. FRENCH is the language of the family, and is constantly spoken in the Institute.
MADAME D'HERVILLY,
jy20:TTHS Principal.

ASSESSMENTS.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, PITTSBURGH, Sept. 28, 1869.

NOTICE.—The assessment for Grading, Paving and Curbing BEECH ALLEY from Pride to Millenburger street, is now ready for examination, and can be seen at this office until FRIDAY, October 8th, when it will be returned to the City Treasurer's office for collection.
se23:o100 H. J. MOORE, City Engineer.

JEFFERSON STREET.—THE undersigned, appointed Viewers to assess damages and benefits for opening Jefferson street, Second ward, Allegheny, will meet on the premises on SATURDAY, October 9th, 1869, at 2 o'clock P. M. to attend to the duties of our appointment.
S. W. McGUINNESS,
JAMES GRAHAM,
se23:o66-2w ANDREW DAVIDSON.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS
FOR
Lumber, Bricks, Slate, Glass & Copper.

Sealed proposals will be received at this Arsenal until 10 A. M. on TUESDAY, October 5th, 1869, for furnishing
80,000 feet White Pine Flooring, best quality, 1½ by 6 inches by 12, 14, 16 and 18 feet long.
96,000 feet White Pine Sheathing Boards 1½ by 8 inches by 14, 16 and 18 feet long.
95,000 feet White Pine Joists 2½ by 5 inches, and 16 feet long.
20,000 feet White Pine Joists 2½ by 4 inches, and 16 feet long.

All lumber to be of good quality, entirely free from large or loose knots, sap, shakes, splits and rot, and all to be delivered at site of shops at this Arsenal before the close of navigation in 1869.

Proposals will be made per thousand feet, board measure, and will state whether the lumber will be delivered on cars or wagons.

SEALED PROPOSALS will also be received at this Arsenal until 10 A. M. on WEDNESDAY, October 20th, 1869, for furnishing the following materials:

About 1 100 000 Bricks for floor arches.

All bricks must be of the best quality, sound and well burnt. Samples will be furnished with the bids.

Proposals will be made per thousand bricks, delivered at site of shops, at this Arsenal, and will state whether on cars or wagons. Delivery to commence by 1st of May, 1870, and all to be delivered before August 1st, 1870.

ALSO, for furnishing and putting on in mortar with copper nails, about 600 squares (of 100 square feet) ROOF SLATING.

The slate must be of the best quality. Samples of different sizes and varieties will be furnished and separate proposals made for each.

Proposals will be made per square (of 100 square feet) of slating exposed when put on the roof, no extra allowance to be made for edges or waste in cutting. The United States to furnish no labor and no material, excepting sand and lime for the mortar.

The roof to be laid so that less than one-third of the length of each slate shall be exposed to the weather, and all laid within sixty days after the roof shall have been made ready for slating.

ALSO FOR GLASS.
800 lights 27 by 13½ inches.
1,400 lights 26½ by 13½ inches.
1,900 lights 26½ by 13½ inches.
300 lights 27½ by 13½ inches.
400 lights 25½ by 13½ inches.

The glass to be of best quality of window glass, double thickness, clear, free from blisters, waves and stains. Samples will be furnished with the proposals.

Separate proposals will be made per 100 lights of each variety, delivered in cars at the site of shops at Rock Island Arsenal, all to be delivered before May 1st, 1870.

ALSO, FOR COPPER GUTTERS AND SPOUTING.

About 1,370 lineal feet of Gutters made of sheets, 4 feet wide.

About 580 lineal feet of Valley Gutters, made of sheets 2 feet 6 inches wide.

About 920 lineal feet of Ridge Cover made of sheets 2 feet wide.

About 760 lineal feet of slush hings for gables made of sheets 1 foot 8 inches wide.

About 725 lineal feet of Down Spouts 4 inches in diameter.

The copper to be of the best quality, No. 18 (or 2x5 lbs. per square foot) and to be made up and placed in position in the manner to be prescribed by the Commanding Officer of Rock Island Arsenal. The work to commence within 10 days after notification that the roof is made ready. Proposals will be made per lineal foot of each variety. The United States to furnish no labor or material.

Persons desirous to make proposals for these materials can see all the drawings and obtain all necessary information by applying at this Arsenal.

The United States reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or parts of bids, not deemed satisfactory, and to duplicate within one year any contract that may be made in conformity with this advertisement.

All proposals will be made in duplicate and in detail, addressed to the Commanding Officer, Rock Island Arsenal, and endorsed
"Proposals for furnishing (materials.)"
T. J. RODMAN,
Lt. Colonel Ordnance Brt. Brig. Gen U. S. A., Commanding.
Rock Island Arsenal, September 22, 1869.
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OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, Pittsburgh, Sept. 21, 1869.

NOTICE TO SEWER CONTRACTORS.—SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office for rebuilding Try Street Sewer, until FRIDAY, October 1st, 1869, at 3 P. M. Plans and specifications can be seen at this office.

The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.
se21:062 H. J. MOORE, City Engineer.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.—Whereas, letters of administration on the estate of WILLIAM VANCE, late of Upper Township, Allegheny Co., dec'd, have been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent will make known the same without delay, to
ROBERT VANCE,
Havelock, Washington county,
SAMUEL CLUTTER Pittsburgh,
Administrators,
Or to ROBB & SNIVELY, Pittsburgh, their Attorneys, at No. 87 Grant Street, Pittsburgh.
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LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION having been granted to the undersigned on the estate of ALEXANDER DUNLAP, of Pine Township, deceased, all persons knowing themselves indebted to the same will make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated to
Mrs. RACHEL DUNLAP,
Administratrix of Alexander Dunlap, dec'd.
SAMUEL PALMER, Attorney for Administratrix, No. 87 Fifth avenue. au29:n48-w

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of administration on the estate of RUDOLPH HUNZEKER having been granted by the Register of Allegheny county to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate settlement, and those having claims against the estate will please present them at once to
MARY HUNZEKER, Administrator.
au5:n49-w North Fayette Township.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of administration upon the estate of JOHN MENTZER, deceased, late of South Pittsburgh, county of Allegheny, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all those having claims or demands against said estate will present them to
ROBERT SPROUL, Administrator,
Or to his attorney, J. Erastus McKelvey, No. 91 Grant street. au25:n52-w

ROBERT H. PATTERSON & CO.,
CORNER OF
Seventh Avenue and Liberty St.,
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Will on Saturday, July 31st, 1869, and on each succeeding Saturday, hold an Auction Sale of
HORSES, CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, WAGONS,
And everything appertaining to the Horse.
Parties desiring to sell will please leave their notice of consignment on or before Thursday of each week in order for advertising. Prompt attention and good care will be given all Stock left for sale.
JOHN H. STEWART, Auctioneer.
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FRESH SHAD RECEIVED daily at BENJAMIN PULPRESS popular Fish Stand, No. 45 Diamond Market, Pittsburgh, and at the Twin City, Allegheny City, corner of Ohio and Federal streets. Can be had all kinds of Sea and Lake fish, Halibut, Shad, Soak, Codfish, Haddock and Eel. Also, large supplies of White, Lake Fish, Salamon, Bass, Sturgeon, Herring and Mackinaw Trout, which enables us to sell at the lowest market prices, wholesale or retail. We invite all lovers of Fresh Fish to give us a call, and we will insure them a treat. mh25

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AMUSEMENTS.

NEW OPERA HOUSE.
Third appearance of the Inimitable Son of Momus,
MR. JOHN E. OWENS,
Who will appear THIS EVENING in two of his most famous exercises,
WEDNESDAY EVENING, September 29, 1869, Tom Taylor's celebrated Comedy in three acts, entitled
THE VICTIMS.
Joshua Butterby.....Mr. John E. Owens.
To conclude with
FORTY WINKS.
Horatio Spruggins.....Mr. John E. Owens.
Thursday Evening—The POOR GENTLEMAN and TOODLES.
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PITTSBURGH THEATRE.
H. W. WILLIAMS, Sole Lessee and Manager. TO-NIGHT, Mr. EDWIN BLANCHARD and his trained dogs Carlo and Neto. The great London mimic FRANK DILLON. The dashing cantatrice, Miss VIOLA CLIFTON. The wonderful grotesque dancer, WM. H. MAFLIN. The excellent actor, GEO. A. WILCOX. Pittsburgh's favorite, Miss LUCY CLIFTON, and all the great stars.
Ladies' Matinee every Wednesday and Saturday. Admission to Matinee, 25 cents.

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MONDAY EVENING, Sept. 27th,
AND ALL THE WEEK.
Second and Last Week of the
THE GREGORY'S.
Entire change of programme. First time in Pittsburgh of the Grand Spectacle of the
GATHERING OF THE CLANS.
100 Beautiful Children in the true Highland Costume.
For the first time, the SPIRAL PYRAMID ASCENSION, by LE PETIT ETHARDE.
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NEW TRICKS, by Mlle Gertrude's Ponies, Dogs and Monkeys.
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First time of the TRIPLE PARTERE and CHAPEAUX COMIQUE, by the Brothers Jean, Albert and Arthur.
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Little Bessie in NEW CHARACTER SONGS, never sung before in Pittsburgh.
NEW PANTOMIMES by the united Troupe, the Gregory's and the Clodoche.
Seats can be secured without extra charge at the Academy of Music Box Office, or at Hoffman & Hale's Music Store. se27

TWO EVENINGS OF RARE and refined entertainment at ALLEGHENY SKATING RINK, THURSDAY and FRIDAY EVENINGS, September 30th and October 1st: 1869, a stereopticon Panorama of
Bunyan's Pilgrim's Progress,
Accompanied by Music appropriate to each scene.
These Stereopticon Views are from the best artists, and will be produced by the finest Oxyhydrogen light, equal to 250 solar lamps. They will be 20 feet in diameter, and so brilliant that there should be seen at a distance of more than 100 feet.
The instrumental and quartette music is in charge of Mr. C. C. MELLOR, and needs no comment. The choruses will be by 1,000 SUNDAY SCHOOL CHILDREN, in charge of Prof. W. H. SLACK, whose great success in leading such a large number of voices is a sufficient guarantee that this part of the entertainment will be a rare treat. Admission, 50 cents.
The entire proceeds will be used in Building a Mission Sunday School Room at Soho. se27

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CITY AND SUBURBAN.

Printer Wanted.

A first-class Compositor can obtain a permanent situation at this office, by making immediate application.

Mayor Drum had but one common case before him yesterday.

Prince Arthur has been invited to visit Pithole by the Swordsmen's Club.

The Erie Conference of the M. E. Church will convene at Franklin this morning. Bishop Ames, of Athens, O., will preside.

Allegheny Politics have brightened up within the past few days, and lively times are anticipated at the primary meeting next Saturday.

Fifth Ward.—James Crilling, Esq., for Select, and Mr. John Bradford, for Common Council, will run as independent candidates in the old Third ward, now Fifth.

For Rent—Room.—A very desirable front room, furnished, to one or two gentlemen, with or without board. Reference required. Apply at No. 94 Wylie street.

A Spirited Republican Meeting was held in front of the Hope Engine House, First ward, Allegheny, last evening. Major A. M. Brown, and others, were the speakers.

Slight Fire.—The alarm of fire yesterday afternoon, was occasioned by the burning of the roof of a small frame house on Clark street. The fire was put out without much damage.

Col. Thomas A. Scott, Mr. Riggs, and other railroad gentlemen, were in town yesterday, and go to-day, in company with Gen. Geo. W. Cass, to examine the line of railroad between Fort Wayne and Mackinaw.

Surety.—James Fleming was brought before Alderman McMasters yesterday on information for surety of the peace preferred by Mary Frost, who alleged he threatened to kill her. The case was compromised.

Sudden Death.—Coroner Clawson last evening was notified to hold an inquest on the body of a little child who died suddenly at the residence of her parents on Fulton street. We could not learn the particulars.

Transferred.—Mr. Thomas J. Fulton, Route Agent on the Cleveland and Pittsburgh road, has been transferred from the route between this city and Belle Air, to that between Cleveland and Wellsville. Mr. Fulton is a faithful and efficient officer, and we regret to loose him from this end of the road.

Wouldn't go Out.—Patrick Dunn and Robert Bell, landlord and tenant, had a little difficulty, consequent upon Robert's refusal to give up possession of certain premises which he holds, and which belong to Patrick. Alderman Taylor temporarily settled the matter by compelling Robert to give bail for trial on a charge of forcible entry.

Search Warrant.—James Carnahan, boarding at a tavern on Grant street, lost a pair of pantaloons, valued at sixteen dollars, from his room yesterday. Edward Butler, a colored boy employed about the place, was suspected of the theft and his room searched on a warrant issued by Alderman Butler. Nothing was found and the boy was vindicated.

Mr. James Bonebreak, of the Seventh Ward, one of our most active and efficient workers, was added to the Republican County Executive Committee yesterday. The appointment was an excellent one, and the Committee may feel satisfied that his share in the toil will be faithfully and properly performed, as he acts on the motto, "whatever is worth doing at all is worth doing well."

Stock Sale.—The following stocks were sold last evening on second floor of Commercial Sales Room, 106 Smithfield street, by A. McIlwaine, Auct'r:

Farmer's Deposit Nat'l Bank			.....	$212 25
"	"	"	.....	210 58
Exchange		"	.....	73 00
M. & M.		"	.....	68 75
"		"	.....	68 25
Monongahela Navigation Co			.....	45 00

Railroad Accident.—An accident occurred on the P., Ft. W. & C. R. R., yesterday morning near Glendale. An axle of a sleeping car attached to the Pacific express, due in this city at 7:30, broke, and threw the car from the track, turning it over on its side against an embankment. Fortunately none of the passengers were injured. Trains were delayed several hours in consequence of the accident.

Appointed.—Mr. R. H. Kelly, Marshal of the procession to come off to-morrow on the occasion of the laying of the corner stone of the High School building, has appointed Mr. L. H. Eaton, Marshal of the Centre Division, consisting of the pupils from the first ten wards of the city and Mr. H. G. Squires, Marshal of the Left Division comprising the pupils from the remaining wards.

Officers Elected.—At a stated meeting of Mechanics' Lodge, No. 9, I. O. O. F., held on Saturday evening last, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: N. G., C. F. Maratta; V. G., Wm. A. McRoberts; Assistant Secretary, Wm. F. Caldwell; R. G. L., Geo. Booth; Trustees of Lodge, A. A. Anderson, John Baird, Jr., Chas. Hooton; Trustees of Widows' and Orphans' Fund, James Purnell, Robert Barnes.

Oil Items.—The Forest *Republican* says: "Mr. W. F. Hamilton, formerly of Franklin, Pa., struck a sixty barrel well at the mouth of West Hickory, on Friday last. It commenced pumping at the rate of twenty barrels per day and has steadily increased until it is now yielding fully sixty barrels per day of lubricating oil."

A patent has been issued to James Dickson, of Venango City, for a torpedo for oil wells.

Personal.—Yesterday we had the pleasure of receiving a call from Mr. Hoffman, of the well-known and reponsible Agency firm of Griffin & Hoffman, No. 1 St. Paul street, Baltimore, Md., a house that is well and favorably known to the press and the business community of the entire country. Mr. H. is in our city on a business visit, and we can commend himself, as well as the firm he represents, as eminently worthy public patronage and confidence. They attend well and carefully to all business entrusted to their care, and display unusual judgment and discretion in the selection of their advertising avenues. Having a very large and extensive Southern connection, our advertisers will do well to entrust a share of their business in that direction to him.

POLITICAL.

Meeting at City Hall—Speech of Hon. W. D. Kelley.

A large and spirited Republican meeting was held at City Hall last evening, and the people turned out *en masse* to hear that able exponent of national politics, Hon. W. D. Kelley, of Philadelphia.

The Great Western band was in attendance, and at an early hour in the evening the Hall was filled with laboring men, business men, merchants and mechanics, anxious to hear the truth from one so able and eloquent as Judge Kelley.

The meeting was called to order by J. S. Lambie, Esq., on whose motion the following gentlemen were elected officers of the meeting:

President—Maj. Wm. Frew.

Vice Presidents—Jno. McD. Crossan, David Cunningham, Dr. Francis Pillichody, W. V. Evans, Ed. House, Joseph Shock, Dr. Joseph H. Dickson, George Glass, Thos. Worcester, R. D. Humes, Col. Andrew Scott, N. Voegtley, Sr., H. M. Bole, John Phillips, Philip Pfeil, R. J. Powers, Maj. F. C. Negley, James Rees C. A. Kehew, W. A. Gildenfenny, Jame, Kelley, J. H. Hillerman, Richard Straws W. H. Dummett, Samuel Courtney, John Herron, R. Thornburg.

Major Frew, on taking the chair, thanked the audience for the honor conferred upon him to preside over the meeting, and while he had occasion would state that the last time he had an opportunity of addressing a meeting in this Hall, he was a candidate for the suffrage of the people of Allegheny county, not for an office of profit, but one of great honor. He had the honor to cast his vote for the 22nd District in the convention which nominated Grant and Colfax for President and Vice President. The speaker then briefly referred to the prosperity of the nation since the Presidential election, after which he introduced

HON. W. D. KELLEY.

The speaker, after briefly stating the pleasure it afforded him to have an opportunity of addressing so large and intelligent an audience as a Republican, said he was here to be interrogated upon any question upon which an honest mind could labor, as no Republican need desire to keep anything from public view. We were now in a country at peace within its own borders, and at peace with the world. We were a more prosperous people to-day than ever before. There never was a time when the honest laborer received more dollars per week, or per month, for his labor, or more tons of coal, barrels of flour or yards of cloth than at the present time, and this was all brought about under Republican rule. The Democratic party had, up to the time of the breaking out of the rebellien, run this country in the interest of slavery and the products of slave States, cotton, sugar, tobacco and hemp, and against the interests of the laborers of the North, whose hands guided the steam engine, and the machinery in our factories, attempting to keep all manufacturing establishments on the opposite side of the water, lest the North would be filled up with honest laboring men and gain a preponderance of power in the National Legislature.

The speaker referred to the greenback policy of Pendleton, and said that greenbacks were the salvation of the country. Greenbacks did not bear interest, and consequently would not pass current in England, and we could not force any but our own citizens to take them, and from that fact alone, the country was enriched. Instead of our iron coming from England it was manufactured at home, and during the war we were building monitors in Pittsburgh instead of England, and the iron of which they were constructed was dug from the hills of Pennsylvania and manufactured into iron, and the millions of dollars which otherwise would have gone to Europe, remained at home, and the country notwithstanding the wonderful expenditure of treasure during the war, forced upon the Government by the Democracy, the country was richer to-day than ever it was.

He then referred to the platform of the Democracy of this State, which he said did not mean anything. After referring to the fact that the party in this State held one thing and quite another thing in other States, he said that the principles of the Democracy were the "Loaves and Fishes." The Democracy had, ever since the Republican party came into power, complained of extravagance, apparently forgetting that we were compelled to borrow three millions of dollars before the close of James Buchanan's administration, to carry on the government and now since the beginning of Grant's administration the expenses of the government had been paid and the debt reduced over $8,000,000. The national debt, the speaker said, was created for the South as well as the North, for the future as well as the past, and he was opposed to its present liquidation on the plan suggested by the Democracy.

The speaker, after referring to the fact that the State of Pennsylvania was never so prosperous and her financial affairs in such a healthy condition as at present, said the State debt had been materially reduced under Republican rule, and the tax on real estate had been repealed, and what was the necessity of a change?

The speaker then referred to the present system of taxation, which, he said, required the luxuries of life to pay the taxes, and even many of these taxes will be repealed during the next session.

The speaker referred to the records of the opposing candidates for Governor and Supreme Judge. We all know where Judge Williams' heart was during the rebellion, and by examining the legislative records we could find where Pershing was. He then paid a high tribute to Governor Geary, referring to his record from the beginning of the rebellion and his conduct at Lookout Mountain.

Judge Packer's record was then reviewed, and from a Republican standpoint it presented a dirty sheet. The speaker hoped that no Republican would be lulled into apathy and stay away from the polls, as the opposition were making a determined effort. Philadelphia, he said, had missed fire last year, but she would redeem herself this year. Their weapons had been tampered with last year by fraud, but they were protected now by the registry law.

The speech was the ablest that has been delivered in this city since the opening of the campaign.

County Executive Committee.

A regular meeting of the Republican County Executive Committee was held yesterday afternoon in the District Court Room.

Messrs. W. A. Herriott, S. A. Reynolds, R. H. Smith, Wm. B. Cook and Jas. Bonebreak were added to the Committee.

On motion, Col. George F. Morgan, Major F. C. Negley and John S. Robb were appointed a Committee to wait upon the Hon. W. D. Kelley during his stay in the city.

After the transaction of some business relative to the finances, the meeting adjourned.

THE COURTS.

District Court—Judge Hampton.

TUESDAY, September 28.—In the case of James O'Hara vs. the Penna. Railroad Company, the jury found for the plaintiff.

The next case taken up was that of John Chess for use of Adam Appel vs. Wm. Barnhill & Co., action on a promisory note. Jury out.

Jacob Affelder for use of Simon Straus vs. Jacob Robe, action on a book account. Verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $125.50.

TRIAL LIST FOR WEDNESDAY.

No. 207 Com. ex Rel. vs. Plum Creek Church.
" 17 Monaghan's Adm's vs. Manchester Savings Bank.
" 32 Brown vs. same.
" 20 McKerahan vs. Crawford's heirs.
" 28 Kirkpatrick vs. Kelley.
" 29 Lister vs. Deckenbaugh.
" 30 Lambie vs. Hunter.
" 35 Gangwer vs. Lydick & Allender.

Common Pleas—Judge Sterrett.

TUESDAY, September 28.—The case of Lawrence Hasket vs. William Grimes et al. Action for damages. On trial.

James McElroy vs. Wm. Anderbalt. Action on promissory note. Verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $80 25.

B. S. Koll vs. J. K. Lanahan. Action on promissory notes. Verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $221.52.

TRIAL LIST FOR WEDNESDAY.

No. 18. Taylor vs. Schweinhart.
" 33. Hutchinson vs. Herrin.
" 37. McDonald vs. Franklin.
" 38. Slacker and wife vs. Lehman.
" 47. Duff and Ewing vs. Hoffman.
" 48. Singerly and Myers vs. Radcliff.
" 49. Cooner vs. Litchfield.
" 50. McGerk vs. Ballentine.
" 52. Grove vs. Rodgers et al.
" 54. Graham vs. McWilliams.

Quarter Sessions—Judge Mellon.

TUESDAY, September 28.—In the case of the Commonwealth vs. W. W. Wilson and George Meyers, indicted for assault and battery, the jury returned a verdict of guilty.

William Hinkle, indicted for assault and battery on oath of his wife, Margaret Hinkle, was next placed on trial. The defendant it appears is insane, and this prosecution was brought for the purpose of having the matter of his insanity brought before the Court in order to have him properly cared for. The jury found the defendant insane and by reason of such insanity not guilty of the assault and battery.

The next case taken up was that of the Commonwealth vs. John Manning, indicted for bigamy on oath of his wife, Margaret Manning. It was alleged that defendant was married to the prosecutrix about nine years ago in Ireland, and subsequently came to this country. On arriving in New York he was married to a Miss Margaret Joyce, with whom he lived until a few weeks since, when his first wife arrived from Ireland and commenced the prosecution. The jury returned a verdict of guilty, and the defendant was remanded for sentence.

The next case taken up was the Commonwealth vs. William Einstein, against whom there were nine indictments for selling liquor on Sunday. H. C. Allen, prosecutor. The indictments were for nine consecutive Sundays from the 6th of June. Jury out.

TRIAL LIST FOR WEDNESDAY.

No. 253. Com. vs. Wm. Moore and Chas. Baugh.
" 254. " " Thomas Whittaker.
" 182. " " W. J. Robinson 5 cases.
" 153. " " Thomas Barbin.
" 154. " " James Davidson.
" 155. " " Patrick Gelston.
" 121. " " Thomas White.
" 116. " " Christian Michael.
" 118. " " John Ryland.
" 99. " " James Dillon.
" 81. " " Nida Kirk.
" 74. " " John Wittinger.

Robinson Township Teachers' Association.

The Robinson Township Teachers' Association met according to adjournment, on Saturday, September 25th, at School House No. 7, T. Wilkeson instructor. The exercises during the forenoon consisted of the regular recitations of the school, which evinced care and labor, both on the part of pupils and teacher.

The exercises were witnessed by quite a large number of the patrons of the district and friends of education.

At two o'clock the Institute adjourned for an hour, at which time the association partook of a bountiful supply of eatables furnished by the ladies of the district.

At one o'clock the meeting was called to order by the President, roll was called and all the members responded to their names. The time of the old officers having expired, the President declared the chair vacant, and introduced Mr. Shaw, his successor to the Association, who, upon taking his seat, made quite an interesting address, telling them wherein they erred and did not err, after which Mr. Samuel Wilkison delivered a lecture on Mathematical Geography. This was followed by a class drill of Grammar, by E. Gregg, after which the audience was entertained by Messrs. Shaw and Wilkison, who each read a selection, one entitled the "Beautiful," and another "The Flight of Years." After which the Association adjourned, to meet on Saturday, October 9th, at School No. 12, Mansfield, (Miss Hill teacher) where an interesting programme will be had, and all the friends of education are respectfully invioed to attend.

Mr. Edward Fenderick.

This much esteemed citizen, whose funeral was attended yesterday by a large concourse of mourning relatives and lamenting friends, was among the longest and best known and most esteemed of our fellow citizens of German nativity. We walked several squares with him a few days before his death, and on this occasion we compared our cotemporary memories. He told us that about 1833 he was, where we first knew him, in the drug and chemical store of Mr. P. A. Madeira. He subsequently established, and, until the fire of 1845, kept an apothecary shop at the corner of Water and Smithfield streets, again on Second street below Wood, and again on Smithfield street above Fifth avenue, whence he retired from that business, and, with much impaired health, limited himself to a brokerage, chiefly in German exchange. Mr. Fenderick was a trained and skilful Pharmaceutist; was a man of fine culture, acquainted with German, English, Latin and Hebrew literature; mingled very little with society; devoted himself closely to business—giving his *leisure* only to reading and investigation. He was ever courteous and obliging, of high toned integrity, and most esteemed by those who knew him best. We deplore his death as of an old and valued friend.

The gross sales of the Weed are far in advance of any other machine in this vicinity.

THE FRONT RANK.

An Old and Popular Hat, Cap and Fur House Again Leads Off for the Fall and Winter Trade of 1869-70—Wm. Fleming & Co. Once More in the Field With the Best Stock at Most Reasonable Prices.

It is a matter of congratulation with ourselves that the staunch, old and reliable hat, cap and ladies' fur house of William Fleming & Co., No. 139 Wood street, who have consistently and judiciously advertised their business and have always kept such a stock as to warrant all they have advertised, have again taken the lead of the entire trade, and are now ready to receive their wholesale and retail patrons with the largest, finest and most varied and superior stock of goods peculiar to their line ever opened in this city. During the summer months this enterprising firm have thoroughly refitted and remodeled their extensive emporium, and it now presents an elegant appearance, outrivaling in points of artistic beauty and finish any similar establishment west of the mountains. The main retail salesroom is a perfect model of palatial grandeur with its rich mirrors, its glistering varnished walls and ceiling, beautiful and novel casings, magnificent marble counters, heavy and brilliant chandeliers and superb light and ventilation. Here we find a general stock of goods which cannot fail to rivet the public attention, being large, choice, varied and judiciously assorted. The senior member of the firm has been sufficiently long identified with the hat, cap and fur trade, to thoroughly understand the requirements of the trade and knows just how to please and suit his patrons in all lines of goods. The basement, a commodious, well ventilated and finished apartment contains a vast stock of ladies' furs, caps, etc, in original packages, and it is here that the wholesale customer will discover a better selection than in the principal jobbing houses of the eastern cities. The upper stories of the building are in keeping, in finish and appointments, with the lower ones, and are thoroughly stocked with choice new goods especially designed to supply the very large trade directed from all parts to this sterling house. However, the retail patrons are afforded opportunity to make their selection out of the abundance of goods in either wholesale or retail departments. Altogether considered Messrs. Fleming & Co. can at the commencement of the Fall and Winter seasons setting in, rightfully claim leadership in the entire trade in Western Pennsylvania, inasmuch as they have not only got the very finest salesrooms and best accommodations for the trade, but have likewise the *best and most complete stock* of hats, caps and ladies' furs ever opened in this city. Moreover, they have purchased to great advantage, closely watching the markets and investing at the proper time, so that they are enabled to sell at prices very much lower than those prevailing at the houses of any of their contemporaries. This is saying a great deal, but our readers have but to favor the establishment with a visit of inspection and inquiry, and compare notes elsewhere, to satisfy themselves of the truthfulness of the statement. A full corps of attentive and gentlemanly salesmen are constantly in attendance to wait upon visitors, whether desirous of purchasing or not, and we urge attendance on the part of our friends needing anything in the line. No firm in the city enjoys higher reputation for honesty, correctness and fair dealing than that of Wm. Fleming & Co., and we earnestly bespeak for them a large increase of the full share of patronage so constantly bestowed upon them.

Amusements.

OPERA HOUSE.—The audiences at the Opera House have, as was anticipated, been unusually large this week, in consequence of the presence of Mr. John E. Owens, the inimitable comedian. Last evening Mr. Owens appeared as Wellington de Boots in "Everybody's Friend" and in his great specialty of "Solon Shingle." This evening "The Victims" and "Forty Winks" will be presented, with Mr. Owens in both pieces. Persons desiring seats should secure them early.

PITTSBURGH THEATRE.—The chief attraction at the Pittsburgh Theatre the present week is Mr. Edward Blanchard and his trained dogs, Nero and Carlo. Frank Dillon, the wonderful mimic, made his first appearance Monday night, and was well received by the audience, as was also Mrs. Viola Clifton, the daring cantatrice. An excellent bill is announced for the matinee this afternoon, for the benefit of ladies and children.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—The Gregories are still drawing large audiences at the Academy of Music, and will continue to do so, we presume, throughout the remainder of the week, when their engagement closes. Prof. Gregory's feats of swordsmanship are well worth the price of admission, but they are by no means the greatest of the attractions.

Pilgrims' Progress.

An entertainment of a refined and very interesting character, consisting of a stereoscoptico panarnma of Bunyan's Pilgrims' Progress, with appropriate music to each scene, will be given at the Keystone Skating Rink. The instrumental music is under the direction of Mr. C. C. Mellor, while one thousand Sunday school children, under the leadership of Prof. W. H. Slack, will furnish the vocal exercises. The entertainment is given for the benefit of the Mission Church at Soho, and will, as it should, attract undoubtedly a very large attendance. See advertisement.

The last rehearsal for the concert will take place at the Rink this afternoon at half past four o'clock.

All for a Cent.

Frank Hastings and John McGonnell were before the Mayor yesterday evening on a charge of disorderly conduct. It appears the accused went into Auth's saloon, where lager is sold at three cents per glass, and called for two glasses. When the beer was produced, a five cent nickel was handed out in payment, but the bar keeper refused to stand the discount and drew back the beer, whereupon his customers made a raid on the establishment. An officer passing the house heard the row and arrested the accused, who remained over night at the lock-up, and in the morning were required to pay the sum of $20 and costs each.

Dancing Academy.

Those wishing to become proficient in the art of "tripping the light fantastic toe," have excellent advantages offered them at present at Prof. Cowper's Dancing Academy, No. 51 Fifth avenue, opposite the old theatre. The days of tution are Wednesdays and Saturdays. Masters and misses at 3 o'clock P. M., gentlemen's class at 8 o'clock in the evening. Prof. Cowper is an experienced teacher, and renders entire satisfaction. W:F:M: 2 w.

Another Statement.

The late accident on the Pan Handle Railroad, by which an engineer, fireman and brakeman lost their lives, and were burnt to ashes, hss been generally attributed to the "gross negligence of a telegraph operator." An "Operator," in the Cincinnati *Commercial*, gives a different version of the affair. He says:

"The keeping up of two hundred miles of telegraph wire has heretofore required the exclusive service of a Superintendent. About four months since, in order to cut down expenses, they discontinued the office of Superintendent of Telegraph, and mixed it with the other duties of the Assistant Superintendent of the road. Up to this time, an operator, who was unacquainted with the road, and with railroad business, was never allowed to take charge of an office, until he had practiced in some office on the line at least a week, and often longer, in order that he might become acquainted with the numbers of the trains and the manner in which train orders are sent. This operator, who is accused of "gross neglect of duty," was brought to the road, a total stranger, this same day, and was working his first night on the line. He had no instructions whatever; did not know the number of a train on the road, the names of stations or the calls of the different offices.

"The investigating committee certainly closed their eyes when the above stubborn facts came up before them. High officials wish to be considered immaculate, and not capable of committing a blunder, and it is handy to have some one to blame for all these bloody scenes. I think I have given you the facts."

The Continental.

Unlike some of our restaurants, the Continental, from its peculiar location, is always cool and pleasant, a fact which materially adds to the attractions of the place. Half of the enjoyment of a repast is taken away when it is eaten in a situation where the heat is so great that the eater feels uncomfortably hot. Add to this attraction the bountiful supply of the good things of life which are daily spread upon the table, and the reason of the great success which has attended the Continental during the hot weather even is easily explained. Mr. Holtzheimer understands his business, and by consulting, without regard to expense, the wants and wishes of his patrons, he has achieved for his establishment an unsurpassed reputation. To patronize it once is but the prelude to other calls, at least such has been the experience of hundreds who crowd around the board daily.

Wanted.—TEN OR TWELVE intelligent respectable men to act as SPECIAL AGENTS for the Co-operative Life Ins. Co. Apply to. A. PATTERSON,
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Every Grocer has Marvin's celebrated Crackers on sale. Ask for them and by a trial be convinced of their superiority.

Black Silks, evening silks, white alpacas, and evening dress goods of all kinds at Bates & Bell's.

Be Beautiful.

If you desire beauty you should use Hagan's Magnolia Balm.

It gives a soft, refined, satin-like texture to the Complexion, removes Roughness, Redness, Blotches, Sunburn, Tan, &c., and adds a tinge of Pearly Bloom to the plainest features. It brings the Bloom of Youth to the fading cheek and changes the rustic Country Girl into a Fashionable City Belle.

In the use of the Magnolia Balm lies the true secret of Beauty. No Lady need complain of her Complexion who will invest 75 cents in this delightful article.

Lyon's Kathairon is the best Hair Dressing use. MWFF.

For delicate Family Work it is the Weed, at 116 Market street.

If "variety is the spice of life" it is also one of the most essential requisites for a well spread table. Marvin's crackers form an agreeable variety on any table, and will be appreciated, though the bread should be of the best quality, which is not always the case durring warm weather.

New Goods and new styles at Bates & Bell's.

Call and see it at 116 Market street.

LOUISVILLE.

Resistance to a Process of the United States Court—Judge Jerry Black will Sue the Louisville and Nashville Railroad—Suicide.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

LOUISVILLE, September 28.—Deputy United States Marshal Harrington brought five men from Lewis county, whom he arrested for resisting a process of the United States Court. They were bailed in six hundred dollars each to answer at the December term of the United States Court.

It is now understood that Judge J. S. Black, of Pennsylvania, will sue the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company for fifty to one hundred thousand dollars for injuries sustained on that road during the early part of the summer.

Edward Schilevelbein, a German laborer, aged about forty-five, residing ten miles below the city, committed suicide to day by poisoning himself with arsenic. No cause is assigned for the deed. Schilevelbein leaves a family, who reside at Vevay, Ind.

Decrease in Assessments.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, September 28.—The effect of the new and strict registry law has been to decrease the regular and extra assessments for taxes $16,000 from last year, indicating a small vote for the fall election. The decrease is the largest in the extra assessment, being $10,000.

Additional Markets by Telegraph.

CHICAGO, September 28.—The market at the afternoon board was steady with a large movement in corn. Wheat opened at $1,07 seller October, and closed with buyers at $1,08½ and no sellers; No. 1 sold at $1,12. A large business was transacted in Corn, which opened at 70½c seller October, but closed easier at 71¾@72c. Oats nominal at 41¼@41½c. In the evening No. 2 Wheat sold to a limited extend at $1.09. Corn quiet at 71½c.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 28.—Cotton lower at 26½c; sales 2,600 bales; receipts 369 bales. Flour firmer at $5,70@6,10. Corn $1,10@1,12½. Hay $28. Whisky $1,25@1,27½. Other articles unchanged. Gold 133@134. Sterling nominal. New York sight ⅛@¼ discount.

NASHVILLE, September 28.—Wheat; red $1,20, amber $1,25, and white $1,30. Corn $1,15. Rye $1,15. Barley $1,25. Oats 70c. Bacon; sides 19½c, hams 20c, and shoulders 17c. Flour $8.

Real Estate! Real Estate!!

We had occasion a short time ago to call public attention to a portion of the suburbs of Allegheny city, which had heretofore been comparatively unnoticed by parties in quest of building lots. The plot consisting of 43 acres was recently purchased by Mr. Jonathan Gallagher, a gentleman well known for his capability for opening up property and bringing it into the market. This property is situated on the eminence to the right of the Saw-mill Valley Pland road, known as the low road to Perrysville, and has been laid off into sites of one to five acres each, with a number of the usual sized building lots. The first auction sale took place two weeks ago. Public attention has since been made to this locality in such a degree as to induce the owner to make another sale this season, which will occur on Friday next, at two and a half o'clock. Persons who are unacquainted with this locality, would do well to attend the sale, if for nothing else than to observe the wonderful improvements that are going on in this vicinity. Plans, and all information will be furnished by the Auctioneer, Mr. A. Leggate, 159 Federal street, Allegheny.

Beyond all question, one of the very best that mechanical ingenuity has yet produced, is the Weed, at 116 Market street.

Black Alpacas and mourning goods at Bates & Bell's.

Chapped Hands, face and all roughness of the skin, certainly cured by using the *Juniper Tar Soap*, made by Caswell, Hazard & Co., New York. It surpasses all other remedies as it will prevent roughness of the skin if used during cold weather. It is easily applied, avoiding all the trouble of the greasy compounds now in use. It can be used by ladies with the most tender skin, without irritation or pain, making it soft and clear. Sold by the druggists generally. wT

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It only requires thirty-three cents per day to pay for a Weed Sewing Machine.

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PURNELL—BATES—On Thursday, September 23d, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. Charles Dickey, C. A. PURNELL, of Allegheny, and Miss CARRIE A. BATES.

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